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Clothing Under Arrest at Moorstown, N. J.

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ing Woman

FIVE-TEAR OLD CIRL WAS A WITKESS TO HORRISLE CRIME

Moorstown, N. J., Jan. .20 .--More than a dozen negroes were arrested yesterday at different places on suspicion of .knowing something about the murder of Miss Florence Allinson, who was found dead in the stable on the farm .of Mrs. Edward Straw-

The negro who is suspected of having committed the crime is described as having worn, when seen on the farm, a long coat and slouch hat and every colored man taken into custody was so attired. The arrest considered the most important is that of a colored man employed in the terra cotta works here, who was off duty at the time and who is alleged to have been seen in the vicinity of Miss Allinson's home about an hour prior to the time the murder is supposed to have been committed.

Bessie Walker, the five-year-old ward of Mrs. Strawbridge, who lived with Miss Allinson and who was the only one who sa thew colored man the woman, was taken to Moorstown in the course of the day to try and

identify suspects. She was brought to the pail here, but was unable to say whether William Smith, the negro arrested was the man she saw commit the robbery. She was unable to say whether any of the suspects under arrest

was the man wanted. The police believe the child is too young to remember Miss Allinson's assailant. The whole countryside is aroused and the talk of summary punishment usually beard in a rural community when an atrocious crime has been committed, is not absent in

this affair. The rewards offered for the capture of the guilty man now total \$1500. It is said a member of the Legislature will ask that body next week to also offer a reward for the the crime.

NEWFIELDS LICENSE HOLDER

Was Summoned Before Commission at Concord on Friday

An imposing array of witnesses filed into the hearing room of the license commission office in Concord Friday morning and everything indicated a long drawn out case. Joseph F. Haley, holder of a first class license, exercised in the Elm lionse. Newfields, was the licensee against whom Special Agent Locke had filed a complaint for alleged sales to an intoxicated man, and to a minor. A Portsmouth attorney appeared for the licensee and entered a plea of not

This complaint against Haley, which has been brewing for some ime, has occasioned much interest in Newfields and vicinity, principally because of the political and social station of the licensee in that town. Mr. Haley is a member of the board of selectmen and chairman of the school board, and, it is said, exercises a considerable influence in the town. over several weeks and all kinds of the plant. stories have been affoat in the town since Inspector Locke began his in-Tleged violations are Sept. 9 and Oct. | Music Hall today.

26. A number of people from Newfields were present Friday, more through personal interest in the case han because of their knowledge about the specific facts.

The defendant denies in toto the charges against him.

WILL BE CONTESTED

Claim of \$7,500 Against Smith Estate to Be Fought

The Manchester Mirror last evening published the following:

The claim of \$7,500 filed by Lawyer John W. Kelley of Portsmouth, counsel for Miss Mary Lambert, against the estate of the late Charles H. Smith, for a brief period publisher of the Manchester News, will be ter of Mr. Smith, whom he named executrix of his will, has retained Lawyer Wallace B. Clement of this city and has instructed him to fight the proceedings to the end. Miss Smith resides in Newmarket and is bequeathed all the property of her brother, which amounts to several thousand dollars. She has been in Manchester the past few days in conference with Mr. Clement, making preparations for any contest that may come.

Miss Lambert claims that \$7,500 is due her as housekeeper for Mr. Smith at his old home in Newmarket and in Nice. France, where she has been living for some years. She was at one time employed in the mills of Newmarket and met Mr. Smith when a young girl.

THIRTIETH ANNUAL REUNION

Of the 44th Massachusetts Regiment Held in Boston

The thirtieth annual reunion of the 14th Massachusetts Regiment Association was held at Young's Hotel, Boston, on Thursday evening, about the regiment with which Albert L. Dodge of New York city, and his brother, the late Capt. Fredericy L. Dodge, U. S. A., retired, of this city,

the house after he had killed Stevenson, the old brigade command. bespeak for it a large circulation Gen. Francis A. Osborn, formerly of writer in the vicinity. The words: the 24th Massachusetts; Gen. Edward S. Greeley, formerly of the 10th Connecticut; Maj. William W. Douglas, formerly of the 5th Rhode Island and present chief justice of the state, and Albert S. Dow.

> Several letters were read from absent members, and twenty-eight deaths were reported during the past

> After a banquet the invited guests spoke in a reminiscent vein, and comrade Bumpus spoke for the 44th regi-

TO SAVE LOBSTERS

"Market Dogfish", Say the .Fishery Commissioners

The fish commission has devised a apprehension of the perpetrator of a scheme to hold the destructive dogfish in check on the New England coast, where they cause annually thousands of dollars of loss in the lobster industry. It is suggested that their skins make a good polishing leather, that the liver gives a good oil; that the fins yield a conthe flesh, which is eaten in Europe, is an excellent food.

> "Find a market tor the dogfish", says Commissioner Bowers, "and they will be eliminated "

The annual report of the fisheries bureau says that the lobster industry is still on the decline on the New England coast, particularly in Massachusetts. Only extensive cultured operations can arrest it, is the decision of the experts. An appropriation is asked to make experiments in the propagation of lobsters on the Parific coast. The report says that the work of establishing oyster beds on the Maine coast, which has so far been a failure, will be continued.

PASSES NECESSARY .AT .PAPER **PLANT**

A pass from the office of the Pub-The investigations of the commission lishers' Paper Company is said to be through its inspectors have continued required by people who wish to visit

Matince and evening performances vestigation. The dates of the alliby the Harcourt Comedy Company at

Rev. Mr. Macy Writes Popular Song

CHICAGO FIRM

Assassin Robbed Acase After Kill- contested. Miss Alice G. Smith, sis- Scatiment Upholds Uniform of Uncic green and white and were very pretty. Sam's Service

THE RIVER

Kittery, Jan. 20. There are various ways of preach-

ing even for a preacher, and Rev. Edward Hallett Macy, pastor of the Second Christian Church, believes in utilizing those different ways. This is one of the reasons why he has written the words of a popular song -words which embody general concerns along a particular line. The sentiment of the first stanza especially will appeal to those in the vicinity who do not hold to an opinion that seems to be somewhat, and often undeservedly, popular, namely, that a marine, because he is a marine, is of necessity bad. To counteract this impression and to declare the truth of the possibility of the opposite, to cause that people allow every man to stand for what he is, irrespective of 125 members being present. This is his clothes, this is the reason of the words of the song. The musical setting is simple, tuneful, singable,even by the very modest vocalist; it is by Eugene Kaeuffer. The song is were connected durin gthe Civil War. published by a Chicago firm, but com-The reunion was made specially plete copies may be obtained from commemorative of then. Thomas G. the author for twenty-five cents. We r. The association had for guests among the many friends of the

The Clothes Don't Make the Man

A soldier passing down the street With falt'ring step and slow-O'er come by liquor's awful power The while on leave, you know; A mother gathers close her child,

As near the soldier sways, When, somehow, he perceives her

move, And to her quickly says: 'Don't think all soldiers are like me. I'll tell you this-I can-That Jackies true are oft in view;

The clothes don't make the man.' A man attired in faultless dress Is walking down the street; Tis easy, flattered by his looks,

Each maid he sees to greet; A matron sees his ill intent, Her warning tone is raised. He slinks away in dire defeat,

She says to those amazed: 'Don't judge a man by what he wears, Just learn this rule, you can: Don't think him good for faultless dress-

The clothes don't make the man."

siderable quantity of glue, and that No: heroes oft, with ragged coats, Are found where'er you go. And men are true or (alse within,

> Their clothes don't make them so; For character is more than dress, Endures thro' years to come; This will be found the lasting test

For our eternal home, Then learn to judge a man apart From clothes he wears,—you can, Rememb'ring thro' the changing

vears. The clothes don't make the man.

The services at the Second Christian Church Sunday will be as follows: Preaching at 10.30 a. m. by the pastor, Rev. E. H. Macy, subject, "The Fame of Faith"; session of same. the Bible school at 11.50; meeting of the Christian Endeavor at six p. m. Evening service in the auditorium at 7.00. Subject of sermon, "The Home."

In another column will be found an account of the benefit concert given at the Second Christian Church last

climbed up to third place in the Bos- No. 11, with 1570 tons of Georges ton Globe contest for Maine, and her Creek and Cumberland.

many friends throughout Maine are confident that she will soon be at the top of the list. Miss Hazel and her friends are striving hard that she may win this contest and thus secure a college education. Are you doing what you can to help her?

There was recently published in this column an article relating to the York, Eliot and Kittery teachers' institute which will be held in Traipe Academy Jan. 31. In addition to the program for that day and evening there will be addresses by Principal Haines of York, Supt. Silver of Portsmouth, Supt. Payson Smith of Auhurn and Supt. Nickerson of Melrose, Mass., whose subject will be "Frills and Extra Education."

The decorations at the Second Christian Church last evening were There was also for sale home-made candy, cut flowers, cake and chocolate. It was a delightful entertainment and those in charge are deserv-OTHER NEWS FROM THE TOWN ACROSS ing of much praise. The flowers were kindly donated by R. E. Hannaford of Portsmouth.

> .The services at the Second Methodist Church tomorrow will be in the following order: Preaching at 10.30 a. m., by the pastor, Rev. Sylvester Hooper, subject, "The Sorrowful Sower and the Joyful Reaper." Sunday school at 12 m., Epworth League at 6 p. m. Praise service at 7 p. m., followed by a brief talk by the pastor. Subject, "The Final Judgment."

KITTERY RELATIVES

Attended Mugridge Golden Wedding Wedding at Stratham Friday

At Stratham Town Hall Friday afternoon was fittingly celebrated the golden wedding anniversary of Rev. and Mrs. John H. Mugridge. The morning had been given to a family reunion at the parsonage, where forty-six of Mr Mugridge's kindred had assembled. Other guests were Rev. John N. Goss, pastor of the Christian Church at York, and Stratham's other pastors, Rev. Bernard Copping of the Congregational Church and Rev. F. J. Franklyn of the Baptist Church.

At 1.30 dinner was served to fifty in the town hall by the Ladies' Aid taken into Castine, Me., by the Brit-Society of the Christian Church, of ish crew. She was soon afterward which Mr. Mugridge is pastor. The recaptured by the Americans, and her hall was tastefully decorated for the event and with the handsomely laid tables presented an inviting picture. From three to five, Rev. and Mrs. Mugridge held a reception, at which they received heartiest congratulations from parishioners and the townspeople generally.

Rev, and Mrs Mugridge were both natives of Kittery, the latter before marriage being Miss Elizabeth Picott. Both are in vigorous health, and both hold a warm place in the regard of Wolverine and she was placed under their townsfolk, amounting to affection in their parishioners. Mr. Mugridge has been in the ministry of his denomination for thirty-five years. He has also served the Rockingham conference as a missionary. In early life Mr. Mugridge was a ship carpenter, and during the war was employed at the Portsmouth navy yard.

Among those present today were Mrs. Lizzie Williams of Kittery, one of Mr. Mugridge's two sisters; Mrs. Mugridge's three brothers, Orin F. Picott of Cambridge, Mass., Frank S. Picott of North Berwick and John E. Picott of Kittery, Me., and their up the prisoners because the Betsey seven children. There are fourteen children.

RAILROAD NOTES

and Maine railroad and the Newmar- sel was leaking badly. ket water works, for supplying water at Rockingham Junction for the engines and other purposes, has been signed by both parties. The price to prisoners on the Betsey, calling us be paid by the railroad is six cents upon deck, two at a time, and comper one thousand gallons.

The Boston and Maine Messenger for this month devotes a good space to the Salem race track, which is accompanied by a good picture of the steered off in a southerly direction.

QUIET SPELL BROKEN

The quiet spell at the North End coal docks has been broken by the it was some other than a Portsmouth arrival of a barge with coal for Som-

Arrived-For A. W. Walker on Fri-Hazel B. Robinson of York has day, Consolidation Coal Co.'s barge,

To Be Older

POLLY CAPTURED BY LOCAL **PRIVATEER**

Recalls A Rather Odd Conscidence

STORY OF ADVENTURE OF CLD THEE PORTSMOUTH CRAFT

According to George F. Sprowle, secretary of the board of port wardens at Philadelphia, the oldest versel afloat today is the True Love, 142 years old. The True Love was built in Philadelphia in 1764, and though she was only ninety-six feet and eight inches long and of twenty-six feet beam, she was the largest ship that had been in those waters up to that time. She sailed from that port in 1765 and did not return until 1873 when she was 100 years old. She brought a load of cryolite from Ivitut, Greenland. Then she salled again, and was no longer heard of until discovered in 1899 in the Thames river, England, where shorn of her glory, she was and possibly still is doing service as a coal barge. This makes our old schooner Polly look like a young girl.—Newburyport

The Polly was built in 1803, and in days past was a frequent visitor at this port. She was originally slooprigged, and was captured by a British privateer in the war of 1812 and rigging changed to a schooner, since which time she has been constantly employed as a coaster, and her oak frame is apparently as sound now as

when first put in. It appears that when the Portsmouth privateer Thomas, commanded by Captain Tom Shaw, father of Mrs. Plumer D. Norton and Mrs. Helen Hoffman who reside together on Middle road, was captured by the British her name was changed to command of one Capt. John Roberts and sent across to the New England

coast.

Her very first captive under the British flag was, strange to say, the Polly, Capt. French, and then owned by Boston parties. She was bound to that port from Brickston with lumber and fish, and was taken in the evening of December 9, 1813, off Cape Ann. Her captain and crew of seven men were put on board the sloop Betsey of Newburyport, Capt. Lampher, which vessel the Wolverine took about two hours after, and gave was in a sinking condition. . Capt. grandchildren and six great grand- French and his crew were forced on board, the enemy driving them with drawn swords. The men were first offered the choice of either staying on board or going on the prize, but they preferred remaining on the The contract between the Boston former, knowing that the other ves-

> Roberts, however, showed no mercy, says the diary of one of the captured men, "and fairly drove the pelling us to go, without allowing us to take a single article of clothing,

> though we had plenty of it." He then left them and the Wolverine, nee Thomas, with five prizes, By throwing over the deck load of wood and constantly pumping the

Betsey managed to reach Plymouth. What American privateer recaptured the Polly does not appear, but

TO DISSOLVE PARTNERSHIP

It is reported that the partnership between two members of a leading grocery firm is to be dissolved.

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Big Boller Explosion On

LIVES OF THIRTY MEN WERE IN DANGER

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FACTORY WILL BE COMPELLED TO TEM-PORARILY SHUT DOWN

Londonderry, N. H., Jan. 19 .---A boiler connected with the Annis grain and lumber mills plant at North Londonderry exploded today, wrecking the boiler and the engine house, and damaging both the grain mill and the wood working factory, besides causing injuries to Justin Sanborn, the en-

The explosion occurred while about thirty men were at work, but no one was hurt save Sanborn, and 'it is thought he will recover, although his injuries are severe.

The boiler was one of two which are used in operating the mill. It burst with a report which was heard for a long distance, and was thought at first to have been an earthquake. The concussion practically demol-

ished the brick boiler house and threw the second boiler out of place. Flying debris also knocked off por tions of the ends of the wood mill and the grain mill, between which the boiler was located.

The plant was compelled to hut down and it will be practically idle. it is believed, for about six weeks, until repairs can be effected.

The total damage is placed at about \$10,000.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEFS

Concord, N. H., Jan. 19 .- The funeral of Charles H. Ayer, the main figure in the North Pembroke tragedy of Wednesday, was held at I o'clock this afternoon from the home of his sister, Mrs. George A. Bailey, at Chichester, where he took his own life late Wednesday afternoon.

_Augusta, Me., Jan. 19.—The Wellman-Chicago Record-Herald Polar evpedition, a corporation whose object is the carrying on of a scientific and exploring expedition to the North Pole, with the aid of airships and balloons has been organized in this city. The certificate of incorporation was filed today with the secretary of state. Victor F. Lawson, proprietor of the Chicago Dailey News, is president and Frank B. Noyes, proprietor of the Chicago Record-Herald is the treasurer, Messrs, Noyes, Lawson and Avel F. Hatch of Chicago comprise the board of directors.

Seattle Wash Ian, 19.-Following the example set by Washington retail lumber dealers, the retailers of British Columbia and Oregon have advanced their list price two dollars per thousand on lumber to be shipped gast. The demand at present is trong, despite the fact that this is the off season in the retail lumber business on the coast.

Bucnos Ayres, Argentine, Jan. 19 -General Bartolome Mitre, former president of the Argentine (epublic died early teday. General Mitre was eighty-three years of age. He was president from 1867 to 1871 and gen eral in chief of the army of Brazil, Argentine and Urugury in the three years war with Paraguay. He gained considerable distinction also in lifcrature, his work including a translation in Spanish e. Dante's Divine Cemedy.

Washington, Jan. 19,-- A new type of siege gun has been completed by the erdnance department of the Rock Island Arsenal and has been shiped to the Sandy Hook proving groupd. at New York for a test. The new weapon has a caliber of 4.7 and will





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brow a 60-pound projectile. This is ave pounds heavier than the projecwith the new models, if the gun to be a descreditable retrograde was made majorny of persons. tested at Sandy Hook proves satisfactory in every way. The chief characteristic of the gun is the long recoil. It is understood that this gives a steady carriage and that the carriace will not jump when the gun is fired, as is the case with the gun now

Rangeley, Mc., Jan. 19.—John R. T. Poothaker, one of the pioneer lumbermen in the Rangeley Lakes region, where he has operated extensively for thirty years, died early today, aged sixty-six years.

New York, Jan. 19.-Members of the legislative investigation insurance committee of this state, which lately concluded an investigation of the life insurance business, held a conference in this city today with representatives of the insurance department of several western states. The conference was called by State Senator William R. Armstrong, chairman prevail. of the legislative committee of this state, and was held to permit an interchange of opinions regarding insurance laws necessary to be enacted in this state because of the revelations of the investigation. Senator Armstrong said the conference was executive. The senator also said that there would be held in Chicago on February 1 a meeting of governors and officials of various states for the purpose of a mutual interchange of opinions in the matter of dealing with life insurance companies.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Fake LANATIVE BROMO OBININE Tablets All druggists refund the money if it fails to dure E.W. Grove's signature is on box. 25c

POET OF THEH POWWOW LEAVES SOUTH HAMPTON

P. P. Whitchouse is a newcomer to North Pasadena and is very enthudastic in his praise of this part of Bouthern California,

Mr. White house comes from South Hampton, N. H., where he was called "The Soldier Poet", and sometimes the "Poet of the Powwow". he Powwow being a river which flows through South Hampton and by the home of John Greenleaf Whittier, Whilifer and Mr. Whitehouse were warm friends and the two poets tozether composed a busyn which was sung in Amesbury, Mass., at an opening of a county fair. In the rooms of the Whitter Home Association in Amesbury is a framed autograph letter from Mr. Whittier to Mr. Whitehouse. The latter has been in active newspaper work much of his life. In the Civil War he was in the Union army and from 1862 to 1865 correspondent for several pa pers. In 1865 be won a first prize from a New York paper in an essay contest, the contestants being soldiers. A recent peem was published in the Star a few days ago. Mr. White house is at mesent lected at 738 Summit avenue .-- Pasadena, Cal-

AT YORK HARBOR

Rough Weather Delays the Work of Dredging

The rough weather outside early in the week caused some delay in the work of diedging York harbor. In the heavy seas it was impossible to tow the barges out. The work is not progressing very fast. The largest able, percetul and even happy death day's record thus far as 400 cubic yards which is far below what could be accomplished with a softer bottom

The government inspector who is supervising the work is A. I. Heswood who belongs to the engine the torce of the Portland office.

IN YORK LAST SUMMER

Marshall Field of Chicago, the mochant prince whose wealth is estitude el at \$200 000,000, died in New York "Lucsday Mr. Dield was at Yerr Hurbor Jack cummer where he affeed. ed the wedding of his niece. Mic-Field to Mr. Lindsay.

DEFIANCE OF LAND GRABBERS. An example of the persistent way in

comes along and calls for restitution jectionable. tiley indignantly proceed to fight for

and Conel Mosby was sileneed.

There is no place in the world in this respect. At the same time, ficer shall drink alcoholic beveragesand be able to drink them---a times, whether he wants them or not With many, it is a point of military

With the great temperance reform of 1850, this sentiment began to pass away in ordinary life. It has been waning ever since. Abstinence is respected, it is honored, now. But the army remains behind the times in varstill expected to be butterflies, and men to be heroic drinkers.

honor to be able to drink.

Not altogether so. There are many abstainers in the army, and they are honored. Their sentiment will yet

The army should morally get up to was in her girlhood. date. It should not only be dangerous but quite unusual, for its officers to take too much drink.-Boston Post.

THE "AMERICAN DUEL."

So many things are "American," in the Gld World, which we of America know not! At this day, in Europe, the broad term "Americanism" is applied, not to the consistent patriotism But perhaps the most interesting "American" thing to the ordinary European in the 'American duel," says the New York Globe. Every little while we hear of one being fought on the continent. It consists of the consignment of one of two persons to suicide by lot. If two people have disagreed so radically that it is positively felt by both that one or the other must die, they draw lots to see which one it shall be.

That our people should revel in fatai lot drawing, in which a black ball or slip condemns a man to go out and with the national disposition. It is not, unfortunately, particularly out of the American character for one man to go gunning for another, but the thing, when done, is in hot blood. Let the American, as a rule, be cool enough to draw lots, and the danger of slanghter is over

DESKS OR BENCHES?

The suggestion of a Washington official, recently returned from Europe that benches be substituted for the desks now in use in the national house of representatives, is not a new one. The same suggestion once emanated from the late Thomas B. Reed, but he chil. was not received with much enthusiasm. Complaint is made that the members find the desks too convenient for reading and writing and are often absorbed in transacting private business when there are public matters of importance demanding attention. Rarely, indeed, is a member fortunate enough to command the undivided attention of the house, and his remarks, must be of an unusually sensational or entertaining character auditors among his fellow members.

SUPERANNUATED,

It will be too lad indeed it the fe ture of the country has to depend on its present old men. Admiral Dewey declares that our mayal officers are too

"The nation he says, "will surely meet with disaster in a naval war unless younger by n are given command. of the ships of our navy

But we think it would be cruel and sad to oust the old non. By the time that the next war happens, we nopetoday will have died natural, comfort-And we hope that some of our young men will have grown older by the time.

ITALIAN CRIMINALS IN AMERICA. Judging from the activity of libber dynamiters blackmarlers, kidnapper and black hand men in our neighbor pood, we easily understand how it is that Skilly is now so peachful. All her eriminals would appear to have

THE COST OF DRINKING. For druding a glass of beer in a

railway refreshment room at Frank fort, in the presence of an officer, a Corman sollier has been sentenced to 15 days imprisonment. And the Wemen's Christian Temperance union is not strong in Germany, either.

MOCK MARRIAGES.

We are sorry to observe a revival or which those who get hold of property—the social entertainment which flour thority, that the new short rifle adoptthat does not belong to them fight for ished some 10 years ago, and wa jed for the British army, which has been their plunder seems to be presented in known as the "mock marriage," Sor so severely criticized as a dangerous Nebraska, where cowboys in the em- ry an institution which means so mistake by high military authornes, ployment of the leading ranchers have much to the nation should be traves. was not the unprejudiced choice of a begun the work of intimidating and tited in this manner, and sorry there committee of experts, but simply the driving away witnesses as to the grab, are apparently a large number of per-ideference of that body, against its betbing and fencing in of public lands, sons, who have hitherto given every ter judgment, to the opinions of Lord The process in a certain class of evidence of sanity, who delight in such Roberts. minds is very simple. Land, or othre; an entertainment. When the "mock! An outspoken British critic of the property, is recognized as a very marriage" takes place under the aus new arm, who apparently speaks from nice thing to have; the grabbers lay pices of a church society and for the a position of authority, sums up the deheld of it, and when the tardy law benefit of charity, it is especially of fects as follows:

their "rights," says the Pittsburg Gab marriage" are generally thoughtless to its brevity, and possibly or even merely, and without serious intention probably in a loss of effective bayonet [Some two years ago Colonel John S i of casting ridicule upon the sacred in power, due to shortening the reach of Mosby, investigating this subject as a stitution, they are aiding indirectly rifle and bayonet." Government agent, reported that the cause of those carping critics, of Regarding the action of both the cuttle ranchers had fenced in millions, whom George Bernard Shaw is a con- long and short rifles, he states they of acres of public lands and proposed spicuous example, who profess to be are faulty in theory and practice. The to institute measures of ejection. The have the world has outgrown mar bolt should be front, instead of rear, cattlemen at once proceeded to threat, riage, but are unable to suggest à sat. locking, and the bolt-handle projects so en civil war and horrified Senators, istactory substitute. Many assaults much that it is apt to catch on all sorts from Nebraska hastened to Washings have been made upon marriage as an of things. The handle is awkward and tile now thrown from the five-inch ton to protest against the rash pro- institution but, somehow or other, it the magazine is hadly placed. The acsiege guns which are to be replaced eccdings. It has to be confessed that stems to pud favor still with the vast tion of the rifle recently adopted by

AS TO "SOFT OUTLINES."

A London journal complains that n. iern athleticism for women is dewhere intemperate drinking is more stroving the "soft outlines" which are land, what must be done for the prodangerous that it is in the United supposed to be so excellent a thing in tection of susceptible women who hav-States army. A court-martial, and dis- | we men-that is ruining all the "femi- a greater desire to get married than to grace, confront the officer who sins | nine curves," says the New York Sun | retain their savings? says the Bostor there is no place where it is so hard door life doing that for girls in Eng- be put on the same plane of illegality to be a feetotaler. Tradition and prace | land? They may be, but they are not as the lottery, and matrimonial advertice seem to require that an army of it. America. Whatever other terrible tisements forbidden in the same way

ious social respects. In it, women are Shirn : ck to Coronado Beach, or rid- demnation of her has been overdone-England: but she is fresher, more young woman does well to go slow. erece, more beautiful, than her mother

RED TAPE STUPIDITY.

This is the common experience of the business man who seeks information from the statistical branches of the departmental service. Every time he on as a franked envelope he begins to unwind a roll of red tape. When he cooches the end he frequently finds another coll of the same material care fully attached and concludes that it is a waste of time to do any further unvinding. The explanation of this condition of abours, to approxing to the up-to-date merchant or manufacturer. lies in the atmosphere of ultra-conservatism that envelopes every Govcrament office. The rules and regulations teday are those of the first year of the department's existence ples all the subsequent annual addi-him pay his own help. ment chief finds himself chin deep in tales before Le has time to take a full breath His "grown-up-in-the-service" kill himself, is entirely out of keeping sphordingles insist strenuously that thry have been in constant use for fixty years - Basiness World.

NEITHER HUMANE NOR WISE.

Defore the Humane societies' con cention in Philadelphia a young wom-understand each other already. A coinan argued carnestly to obtain sanction mon tonger between individual people to, to respond the extinction of increases the chances of single-end in Lurian almas "hopelessly" injured or as well as those or agreement. The tatall. Some vers ago a doctor urged a triest wars have been early wars lay to authorize the killing of the $|P_{0ace}|$ between nations uses neared end Poper ssi," alsano. The young wome on personal good will, if that coard be an maintened had been terribly im-fronchiated by a common larger je Ber project by the sufferings of a locomo- not for that remon is it to be pook-The class or pinned in a wreck until peched or scored at nor should the

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ACCIDENTS ON RAILROADS.

So many failway accidents have reand d man nonobservance of warn mg signals that a western road has dared expert ocalists on the engines tits fist tiams, preparatory to a revicion of the system for examining trammen for defects in sight, clame in the present manner of deplaying lights and sempphore arm centemplated. An unusual number if that all our dear old commanders of acc lents have occurred lately, and lay honestly thought a meat to the or fronds seem to have awakened; both of this plan were put into e cto their responsibility to make traveling less dangerous.

FOOTBALL FATALITIES.

Mortuary statistics of football, 48 compiled by a New York newspaper mays play. The nature of the late let the one of the suning imprises sustained is detailed with unpleasant accuracy. There is nothen: in the statement that will surprise untomobiles for \$400 apiece rext year, followers of the game but it enphasizes the nece sity for radical re millionaires will give theirs away and

It is alleged that there is a lot of money in coffee in the Philippines reither women nor newspapers. It is not stated how, without these fads the When it gets to us there is a lot or inclustrated how, without these fads the other stuff in it, but not much money inhabitants keep posted on local topics.

THE SHORT ARMY RIFLE.

It is stated, on apparently good au-

"Its demerits consist of an inevitable While the participators in the "mock and unnecessary loss of accuracy, due to

Canada is recommended as one of the

THE MARRIAGE INDUSTRY.

With bigamist sharks abroad in the Are health and strength and out-of- Post. Should the matrimonial agency thing is appearing to the "new wo that lottery advertisements are forbidman" here she is not becoming less den? If anything, the marriage symple! beautiful in any physical way or cate is worse than the red-light "cader" organization.

Oute the contrary. Time was when Recently, in connection with the .ace the typical American girl went about buicide discussion, much has been writwith a sorrowful stoop; when she was ten about the indisposition of women to thin and thit chosted, sallow and angu- outer the married state. The bachelor lar. Is that the type of girl whom you girl, firm in her resolve to retain her may see today playing tennis in the spinsterhood, has been prominently park, or golding on the links from featured. But it appears that the coning hope-back on every bridlepath? that it is time to retract the advice to Certainly not She may not abound get a life partner and to bring out in the 's ft outlines" which are sup again the old counsel that men are de-15 GHz dear to the masculine eye in ceivers ever and that the prudent

> EVIL OF THE "TIPPING SYSTEM." The Japanese envoys have tipped their servants in the Wentworth Hotel, where they have lodged during the peace conference, to something like \$800, says the Pittsburg Gazerte. We trust that they have had a good enough time to make it seem as if the money were not ill spent, and that the sudden Influx of such wealth into the state of New Hampshire will inaugurate a new era of prosperity for that commonwealth But Baron Komura and his suite have made it dreadtuily hard for Americans to use the Wentworth again. Nothing less than a dollar for a pitcher of ice water and 50 cents for carrying he victim to his room in the elevator will do However, let the work go on. The effect of this extiavalure must be, in the end, to restore the old custom of naving the landlord and letting

CONGRESS OF ESPERANITIS. The recent international congress of

Esperantis,s at Boulogne has called attention to the remarkable spicad or Esperanto, un artificial language invented to supply a universal mediam of international communication, size kilkt of London and Brighton, England, the Literary Digest the Literary Digest

So fai as language goes, governments be regarded as other than good hearted There people who desire to kill the idealists of whom the world has all too

THE COST OF A TITLE. According to report, an American

In competent to cay who is incurable, count, is having a heig time dodring The experience of centuries brought the plates and furnitate that that noforth the proverb. "While there is life account person throws at her, was agree there is hope." and a vast majority she will not let mim have money. And who have the best opportunities for each scene. This fad for hobiemen is

Russia may construe as the front of fate the destruction of the Mikasa just

THE IRONY OF FACE.

latter the signing of the parte beaty with Japan. Togo's nuglity flagship was a large factor in the determs Rusala suffered, and now, when the war is over at has been armidiated by its own torce of destruction. During the Westeyan Methodist con-

erence in Indianapolis a din ug room a conducted on the plan that custoa is should pay the morrietor what ention here a number of the t onto Reopers would be not a first from their guests.

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> When improducturers get to selling ar they are now planning to do, the on in for airshtps.

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In the vegetable as well as the animal kingdom each life takes its characteristics from the life from which it sprung. Among these inherited characteristics we find the capacity for continuing its life for a given length of time. This capacity for living we call the inherent or potential longevity.

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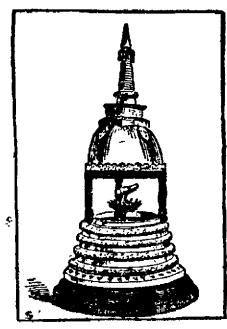
The primary conditions of longevity are that the heart, lungs and digestive organs as well as the brain, should be large. If these organs are large, the trunk will be long and the limbs comparatively short. The person will appear tall in sitting and short in standing. The hand will have a long and somewhat heavy palm and short fingers. The brain will be deeply seated, as shown by the orifice of the ear being low. The blue hazel or brown hazel eye, as showing an intermission of temperament, is a favorable indication. The nostrils being large, open and free indicates large lungs. A pinched and half closed nostril indicates small or weak lungs.

These are general points of distinction from those of short lived tendencies, but, of course, subject to the usual individual exception. Still, it is well acknowledged that the characteristics noted are expressions of inherent potentiality, which have been proven on the basis of abundant statistical evidence.

In the case of persons who have short lived parentage on one side and long lived on the other side, the question becomes more involved. It is shown in grafting and hybridizing that nature makes a supreme effort to pass the period of the shorter longevity and extend the life of the greater longevity. Any one who understands these weak and dangerous periods of life is forewarned and forearmed. It has been observed that the children of long lived parents mature much later and are usually backward in their studies.-Medical Record.

Two-Inch Tooth of Buddha.

The curious object shown in the cut is kept at Randy, in Ceylon, and



receives the most profound venera tion of more than 400,000,000 persons. It is reputed to be the left eyetooth of Buddha and is declared by the priests to have been taken from the ashes of his funeral pyre.

When Bachelors Were Taxed.

Another one of the surprisingly old projects that has recently cropped out again is the proposed tax on bachelors. The idea is gray with age, and, as far as effectiveness in the correction of evils is concorned, is about as inefficient as it is old, says the Cleveland News. Bachclors, as candidates or probationers for marriage, have formed the subject for legislation from the earliest times. Penalties have often been imin and on male celibates in various countries. In proportion as the interests of the State were regarded as above those of the individual the chlorcement of marriage was more severe. In ancient Sparta it was considered a punishable crime not to marry or to marry too late in life.

At Rome marriage was fostered by positive penalties imposed on unmarried men and sometimes even on women, as well as by discrimination in favor of heads of families. In the allotment of the Campanian lands by Julius Caesar portions were given only to the fathers of three or more children. Under Augustus a law was enacted prohibiting unmarried persons below the age of sixty in men and fifty in women from taking possession of a legacy, and this was applied even to widows, who, in order to secure their part of their deceased husbands' estates, were forced to marry again within a period of two years.

Contents of a Shark's Stomach.

A grewsome collection of articles was found in the stomach of a hugo shark recently. The beast was ovidently a man eater, for his stomach contained a man's head, three hats. He weighed 750 pounds and was caught by the crew of the liner 8yria at Sucz. The fishing apparatus! consisted of a rope with a leg of has washed His lamp." pork attached.

HOW SCIENCE AIDS THE LAW.

Finger Print Method Used Whenever Practicable.

A piece of glass bearing the marks of two fingers is sent at once to Scotland Yard. It has been decided that the criminal is a casual laborer, and there is a detective quietly watching every common lodging house within a radius of miles. Meanwhile one of the senior detectives at the Yard, with a memory stored with names of each of the desperate habitual criminals who might be likely to commit such a crime, has set on foot a search for each of these men, whose movements will, unknown to themselves, be traced for days back.

That businesslike looking commercial traveler who lounges around the bookstall or near the booking office is probably a man from the Yard. The methods vary according to circumstances, but in every direction there are the strong, unseen meshes of the police net. Up at Scotland Yard the finger prints on the piece of glass are being carefully compared with some of the finger prints of known criminals. For years finger prints have been stored and there are now on the register more than 60. 000 sets, says the Cincinnati Com-

mercial-Tribune. Prisoners have had to ink their fingers slightly all around on a prepared slab and then place them on a piece of specially prepared paper, turning them slowly around by the direction of an official until an impression of all the skin markings has been left on the paper. Finally the sets of finger prints are indexed and stored away until wanted for comparison either with finger prints subsequently taken or with accidental marks made by escaping criminals, such as those left on the piece of glass.

Perhaps the finger marks on the glass coincide with those of a criminal who has not been seen or heard of for many months. An independent search is at once made for him and possibly some of his old acquaintances are enlisted in the quest. He may have been a frequenter of all kinds of low dens. Be sure that in every one of those dens there is an official or unofficial representative of Scotland Yard.

Shaping Silk Hat Brims.

The nail of his right forefinger was long, yellow, horny, and the fingertip has so thickened and hardened that it seemed to be covered with pale leather.

He was a silk hat maker, and it was from curling hat brims that his finger had changed so strangely. Describing the processes of a silk hat manufacture, he said:

"The belief that cardboard forms a silk hat's foundation is an error. The hat is first built up of various thicknesses of linen-layers of linen soaked in shellac, that, by means of wooden moulds and hot irons weighing twenty pounds aplece, are welded one on the other till a perfect shape, brim and all complete, is obtained.

"The silk is next put on. This silk costs from \$10 to \$15 a yard. It looks like plush in the piece. The hatmaker cuts in on the bias, and moulds it round the stiff linen foundation. The strips must be very accurately cut, and great care is needed in their ironing and cementing, so as to give a perfect diagonal joint. Look at your silk hat's seam the next time you wear it The joint's perfec-

tion will amaze you. "The brim up to this point is flat. now its curling commences. That is where my queer forefinger comes in. The shaping of a hat brim is purely a matter of hand, and eye and taste. The brim, while being shaped, is highly heated, so as to give pli-

ability. "And of course, working on this hot material, patting and prodding it, the forefinger thickens and the nail gets horny.

"Nevertheless, hat curling is pleasant, artistic work. Hat curlers have reputations the same as artists, Their work is distinctive. An expert can tell it at a glance."-Philadelphia Bulletin.

Fashion and Industries, From the Society Islands in the Pacific ocean the British consul tells how a change in fashion in the united kingdom helped to ruin an industry temporarily. The story relates to the trade in pearl shell. Several years ago this commodity brought from \$1,000 to \$1,100 a ton in London Then came a great storm, which caused much loss of life, in the Tahitian group, and prices went up rapidly. The enhanced valnes and doubts as to the future caused buttonmakers and others responsible for fashion in dress to turn their attention to metal and other materials. As a result the demand has fallen off considerably, the price of the shell has since decreased by half, and steps have had to be ta-

A Celestial Lamp.

ken to check the output.

It was little Edgar's first glimpse of a real full moon. Up to that time his astronomical observations had been confined to furtive peeps at the luminary as he prepared for early sleeping. This particular evening he and his mother had been out visiting and were delayed in getting home. As they left the street car, the little chap caught sight of the moon over the Palisades. It was one of those nights that poets like to write about. There was not a cloud in the sky and the streets were altwo fowls and a quantity of bones. most as light as day. Edgar took one look and stopped in surprise and admiration.

"Oh, see, ma," he cried, "God

A SCHOOL OF FISHING.

The Practical Belgians are Trying to Revive an Old Industry.

and Norwegian brethren.

where young Belgian fisher people keeper. be educated into modern methods of earning their livelihood. Conse-i

Of these the Ostend school is the most important, and a model establishment of the kind. There every facility is given to boys who have creft. chosen fishing as their trade to acquire all the knowledge they may their vocation. Beautiful museums, containing the choicest and rarest species of fish, shells, birds, and instruments of every description, sea charts and maps, model boats representing every type of vessel, nets, sails, and, in fact, everything pertaining to the fisherman's craft are placed at the young student's disposal.

The course of study at the school lasts three years, during which time the many secrets of the fishing trade are revealed to the youthful Flemings. A peep into some of the school rooms reveals the methods of instruction. Here one sees a large net spread out on the ground, with a number of boys scated on it, engaged with repairs, while another group of youngsters are being taught an accurate knowledge of the sexuant, and others still are being initiated into the mysteries of rope splicing.

In another room a class of boys is studying the rules of the road at sea and the exact position of the many lightships in the North Sea. The method of teaching this lesson is both simple and practical. All that is required are some reliable sea charts, a few sets of tiny model vessels, and printed directions, with the assistance of which the boys can learn in one day as much as a lengthy vovage to sea could teach them. A gigantic chart represents the bottom of the sea, with its valleys, rocks, and sand manks, stones, seaweeds, and shells, and explains the ocean's hidden dangers and mysteries.

On the other hand, all the manocuvers executed on board a fishing boat are practiced on dry land; for this purpose a full size model boat has been erected in the grounds adjoining the school. The future fisherman is likewise taught the making of nets and the handling of them at sea, the catting, sewing, and repairing of sails, the art of baiting, drying, smoking, and preserving fish, and the use of compass, log, and hoisting colors.

When the pupils have acquired all this useful knowledge they are given an opportunity to show their worth at sea. A training ship is fitted up with this end in view, and for several weeks the student crew carries out all its manoeuvers under the direction of the indefatigable school principal. Thus the finishing touch is given to their education. When the ficating school returns to port its occupants are considered to be thoroughly fitted for their vocation and

have no difficulty in finding work. This excellent practical education is given entirely free, which explains to a great extent why the number of pupils is steadily increasing. The regular classes comprise boys between the ages of twelve and nineteen, but older men are admitted if they desire to perfect their knowledge as fishermen.

Oldest Licensed Honse.

The "Seven Stars," Withy Grove, Manchester, claims to be the oldest licensed house in Great Britain, for it was licensed as a hostelry so long ago as 1356, fifty-five years before Manchester received the charter con-



The Oldest Licensed House in Great

Britain. smallness of the town may be judged are many traditions connected with the "Seven Stars," one of them being that Dick Turpin and Guy Fawkes visited the place. At any adherents of Prince Charlie, commanded by Colonel Townley. The hostelry also contains a chair which is said to have belonged to Byron's mother.

world; New York the largest in the miles. United States.

SCPERIOR'S LONESOMEST SPOT.

Lighthouse in the Lake That Is 50 Miles From Nearest Port.

Out of sight of land, perched on a Some time ago a commission was pinnacle of rock far out in Lake Suappointed to inquire into the cause perior and visible only to lake craft of the decline of the once flourishing which make Marquette and other fishing industry along the Belgian ports along the south shore east of coast. After a careful investigation Keweenaw Point or those which ply the commission reported that foreign' from one end of the lake to the othcompetition was responsible for this er, is a conical graystone tower risdecline; the Belgian fishermen, the ing 102 feet above the level of the report concluded, owing to their an- water from which every night durtiquated methods, were not able to ing the season of navigation there compete with their English, French, I flashes a white light every thirty seconds, warning navigators of the dan-As a result of this report, the Bel- ger zone. This is Stannard Rock gian government decided that the lighthouse-the lonesomest spot on only way out of the difficulty was the the big inland sea-of which Capt. establishment of schools of fishery, | Chambers of Mackinae Island is

So isolated is the lighthouse that the rearest port - Marquette - is quently a number of fishing schools more than fifty miles distant, while have been established on the coast at I the nearest land of any description is Ostend, Blandenberghe and Niew-! Manitou Island. In clear weather the light is visible for a distance of over eighteen miles, and in thick weather there is a ten inch steam whistle to give warning to passing

During the season of navigation the keeper and his assistants while need, and to face the hardships of at the rock look out on nothing but sky and water except when they sight a passing ship in the distance or the lighthouse tender visits them with supplies.

> The rock itself rises from two and a half to three feet above the level of the lake and is but fifteen or twenty feet in diameter. This pinnacle marks the site of a dangerous shoal extending north by west and south by east for 290 feet, with a width of 1.500 feet. Close around it, however, is some of the deepest water in Lake Superior, soundings having been taken for 600 feet.

> The lighthouse can only be appoached on one side, and then when the water is smooth, for there is an abrupt wall at the top of the platform, some thirty feet high, and the boat and all the supplies are hauled up by a derrick. There have been many occasions when the returning keepers found a heavy sea running at the lighthouse, so that they could not approach, and have had to take chances of laying by for hours in their little craft-not the safest thing to do on Lake Superior—or of making for the nearest shelter, miles away.

A Convenient Everciser.

The apparatus is attached to the bed in such a way that a person can exercise while in a reclining position. In the illustration the apparatus is shown attached to an iron bed, two upright posts being slidably mounted upon the two side rails of the bed and adjustable at any point. The upper framework of the apparatus



consists of a number of bars connected to brackets being adjusted on the upright posts. Elastic cords or spiral springs, having handles at the lower ends, are suspended from the crossbars of the framework. By placing the apparatus at the upper end of the bed exercise of the arms can be indulged in, and then, by removing to the lower end of the bed. the legs can be exercised. The advantages of this apparatus are that invalids and fleshy people can, by the use of the same, derive all the benefits of arm and chest exercises without undergoing the fatigue of standing. Another advantage is that any person can exercise and develop the arm and chest muscles without unduly taxing the heart and lungs, as is usual in exercises in a vertical position.

Bygone Fashion in Beards.

English history is rich in examples of the way in which the fashion in beards has changed from time to time. The spies sent out by Harold reported that the Norman invaders 'did almost seem to be priests, because they had all their face and both their lips shaven," which is confirmed in the Bayeux tapestry. It was to distinguish themselves from their hated conquerors that the Engstituting it a free borough, but the lish wore their hair long. Stow speaks of long hair as well as beards from the fact that the tolls for its in Henry L's reign: "Men contendfares was a trifle above \$30. There ed with women in their long haires. and when this decayed through old age, they knit about their heads certain rolls and braidings of false hair." The monk Wulstan described rate, Harrison Ainsworth incorpora- | the practice of wearing the hair long ted this legend into his story about as "immoral, criminal and beastly." Guy Fawkes. A room on the ground | When one of his long haired flock floor hears the words, "Ye Guy | knelt for his blessing, it is said that Faux Chamber." In 1745 it became he would whip out a knife and cut the headquarters for the Manchester off as many of the tresses that lay under his consecrating hand as he could manage in the rather limited time at his disposal.

The atmosphere is so clear in Zululand that objects can be seen by Paris has the largest library in the starlight at a distance of seven

STRANGE MARRIAGE CUSTOMS.

With Great Ceremony,

Marriage and courtship in the Orient are still conducted with the Ish North Born o reported that a were in vogue in Biblical times. At | topus-shad made its place of recreean Arabian wedding the bridegroom tion on the Island of Liberan, which and bride consider it beneath their lies some twenty miles north of dignity to show any especial interest | Sandahan with The monster was in the proceedings.

The entire party, men and women, form in procession, with wax tapers, flambeaux and torches, the streets with their fragrance, with a band of music and a company of clowns, who cut up all manner of didos on the way, and the pageant marches to the home of the bride. They find the house barricaded and they are refused admittance. A nerce but harmless sham battle is fought, always ending in the assaultng party taking the house by storm. This custom, of course, is a surviv-

al of the time when the battles were in deadly earnest, and when actual force was used in capturing women from real enemies. After the makebelieve struggle the women of the victorious party rush into an inner apartment where the bride is found sitting alone. They throw a veil of silk and gold over her head and bear her away, the wails of herself and her friends being drowned by the music, the noise of the buffoons and the shouts of triumph from the bridegrooms's party. The apparently unwilling bride hangs back, and as she must be forced along at every step a whole hour may be consumed in dragging her for the first hundred yards. The more trouble she gives the greater will be her reputation for maidenly modesty. Finally she is lifted over the blood of a slain sheep to the back of a camel. says the Pittsburg Dispatch.

Having arrived at the bridegroom's home the bride is placed upon a divan, where she is expected to show the most abject melancholy amid the general levity. As the women pass before her she kisses their hands. The whole night is spent by the guests in rejoicing, eating and drinking.

The prevailing color of the bride's rousseau is sky blue and each garment is very heavily embroidered. Her apparel consists in part of very full trousers, over which she wears a flowing skirt. Above these two garments is a vest with ample sleeves. and over this is a large merino jacket, open in front to the waist, but her bosom concealed by a profusion of snowy lace. A cashmere shawl is loosely thrown over all. Gold guards surroundher neck and a watch dangles from ber waist, while festoons of pearls are looped over her dress. On her head she wears a red velvet cap over the edge of which hangs a loose fold of blue merino, the whole headdress being bespangled with precious stones. Her hands and wrists are stained with benna. Slippers of blue and gold complete her elaborate attire.

From the moment that the officiat-Ing priest enters the house next day all levity ceases. Crowns are placed upon the heads of the contracting parties, rings are placed upon their fingers and their hands are joined. As soon as they are blessed with prayer and benediction and the priest has departed the mirth is renewed and docsn't cease until midnight. In the morning the giving of presents is in order. The wedding festivities are kept up for ten days. a different crowd being present each day, with wild dancing and boisterous song. Sometimes the fun is varied by the bride's relatives setting upon the bridegroom and giving him a sound thrashing. Through all the revelry the bride sits by herself, never smiling nor speaking.

Plants That Give Light.

"It is a phenomenon of the same order as respiration, and is accompanied by a considerable emission of carbonic acid . . . it disappears when the plant dies, and it is extinguished by hydrogen and carbonic acid. . .



A Luminous Mushroom, the Olive Agaric.

It is a vital manifestation and must not be confused with the phosphorescence that takes place in the course. of vegetable putrefaction, which is due to an invasion of luminous micro-organisms, probably bacteria. "The light of the olive agaric is,

according to M. Fabre's observations, soft, white, quiet, and similar to that given off by phosphorus dissolved in oil. It requires for its production, as in the case of the Rhizomorphs, certain physical conditions. Thus it deg. P.) Desiccation and immersion in water also extinguish it."-Translation made for the Literary Digest.

The smoking of dried coltsfoot eaves antedated the introduction of tobacco in England.

A MUD VOLCANO.

Date From Bible Times and Attended | Extraordinary Scene on a Tropical feland.

Some time ago the matic t of Britsame odd ceremonies and forms that huge marine mouster a kind of ocminutely do libed as to size, abpearance, and habits, and was said to burrow deeply into the heart of the island and throw mad and water. lights so perfumed as to fill the It had also made a track from the sea to his hole

Remembering the occurr nee of a

mud crustion on the island some Years ago. to sever or of the colonic formed his own ounion regarding the existence of the supposed manster, and when an opportunity occurred made an examination of the Island. It appeared from his invescracked till it bore the appearance of a glacier of gray read, complete with its crevasses and boulders, lacking only the moraines and the exhibarating glacier air to make the resemblance complete. At its lower end, where it debouched into the sea, a good quarter of a mile from its source, the mud river was perhaps 150 feet broad, narrowing to eighty feet. At its highest point--100 feet above sea level-where it emerged from the crater, it appeared to have cut through the solid soil, which stood up on each side a good eight or ten feet above the surface of the mud, which was freely strewn with small blocks of gray sandstone. The edges of these blocks were, in many cases, as sharp as those of newlybroken road metal.

The crater itself, a depression about thirty to forty feet in diameter, was covered with a crust of mud just strong enough to hear the weight of a man, but giving slightly as one walked over it, thus indicating that it was merely a crust. In the very center was a small pool of liquid mud, into which a long stick was thrust without finding bottom. Around the crater rose the walls of mud, ten to fifteen feet high, with large blocks of sandstone and rocks bearing streaks of quartz perched in such positions as proved that they must have been hurled into the air by the force of the cruption, and dropped into their present positions. -North Borneo Herald.

Heroine of a Siege.

Among the rank and file of the Russian prisoners of war from Port Arthur the name of Haritina Korotkevitch is reverenced as the heroine



of the siege. Twenty-seven years of age, she accompanied her husband. a private in the Thirteenth Rifle Regiment, to Port Arthur and got permission to don a private's uniform and to fight with the others. With such gallantry and conspicuous bravery did she take her part that she received the complete set (four) of the St. George's Cross. Toward the end of the slege she was with her husband in the first fighting line dcfending one of the forts when a Japanese shell literally blew her to pieces. Her husband was badly wounded in the same engagement and is now in the Red Cross Hospita! at Matsuyama. The grief among the soldiers when the news went around that "Private" Haritina was dead was intense.

Successful Women Drummers.

There are numbers of them in Philadelphia," said a well known traveling man, speaking of women drummers, "and they are most successful-more successful than the men.

"One of the most successful drummers I know is an old lady who lives here. She is a grandmother, and through reverses of fortune was obliged to take to the road, carrying on her husband's whisky business. She's old and comparatively feeble, but she can sell more goods than any man in that line, and I know many men in the business.

"I understand that to-day she has hought a fine house, and sends a grandson and granddaughterthrough college by her work. There are lots of women on the road who make a business of selling liquors, and, ceases at 9 deg. C. (48 deg. F.) and though it does not seem to be a is extinguished above 50 deg.C. (122 strictly feminine field, they succeed in the work."--Philadelphia Record.

> The boots of Cromwell's soldier's weighed ten pounds apiece, being made of the thickest leather, linesand padded, with rowelled spurs at tached by steel chains.



THE SEEDLESS ORANGE

Its Introduction Revolutionized the Orange Industry.

It has drawn thirteen thousand men from other pursuits and transformed vast areas of sun baked land in California into orange groves. It has been the prime factor in the growth of a dozen towns of five and ten thousand persons in Southern California, and has added directly rectly \$60,000,000 more to the taxable wealth of the State.

The first seedless orange trees were apparently freaks of nature. and their counterparts have never been found. Early in the 70's Wiltigations that the "track" made by Ham Judson, United States Consul the marine phenomenon was a river i to Bahia. Brail, heard an account of hardened mud, sun-dried and from natives of a few trees in the swamps on the bank of the Amazon. some sixty miles away. He sent a native up the river to get some of the fruit and to bring him some of the shoots of the tree. When the native returned the Consul was delighted with the specimens and sent six of the shoots, carefully packed in moss and clay, to the Department of Agriculture, at Washington. The trees did not excite much interest in the department. Two, which were planted in the department grounds, died for lack of care, and the others were forgotten for months. Four cuttings were planted again

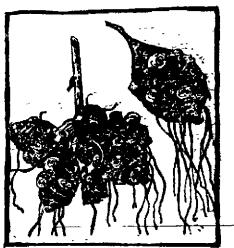
in December of 1873 in Southern California. One of the shoots died from neglect; one was broken and chewed by a cow. Five years passed and the two remaining shoots came into bearing. These sixteen seedless oranges were the first ever grown in the United States. The specimens were carried about Southern California and shown to ranchmen and fruit growers. The second crop was awaited with great curiosity, for it was feared that in a few years the fruit would become hard and tough. There were about a box of oranges in the second yield and they were even better than the first crop.

The planting of groves of seedless oranges propagated from the buds from the two original trees began in earnest in 1882. The following year the demand for buds from the Tibbett trees was so large that a dozen hads sold frequently for \$5 and some growers paid even as high as one dollar apiece for them.

In 1889 the two Tibbett trees furnished buds which sold for \$15.000 and a tall fence was built around them to keep people from stealing the buds. A year or two later the orange trees which had been propagated from the Tibbett trees began to bear and they themselves furnished tens of thousands of navel buds as good as from the original trees. Then the first navel orange trees began to bear fruit, and from that time the boom in navel oranges was assured.

The Jerusalem Artichoke.

prepared, will produce at the rate of 300 to 600 bushels to the acre. Two or three tubers, if small, are planted in a hill. The hills are 3 feet apart each way. Cultivation is necessary if good results are desired, but the plant will produce without any care



whatever. Freezing does not affect them and they come to the table fresh from the earth in the early spring when other vegetables are likely to be stale and musty. They are boiled or steamed till soft and served with cream sauce; they are also used as salads or pickles. They have about the same food value as potatoes. A pint of tubers, cut to eyes as potatoes are, will plant 25 to 30 hills.

By-Products of Wine Making. By-products of the wine making

industry which are thrown away in this country have been made valuable in Europe. Thus after the squeezed pulp from the wine press has been dried it is separated into stems, shells and seeds. From tha stems paper is made and from the shells, which may be separated from the seeds on a sieve, tartaric acid is extracted. The seeds are fed to horses, cattle and ponitry, just like grain and are said to be preferable to cats. A ton of grapes will yield from twenty to 100 pounds of meeds and from the latter quantity may be obtained three quarts of oil, which, in addition to its merits for the table, make a superior soap and can be used as a substitute for linseed oil. After the oil has been extracted there remains a meal which is an excellent feed for cattle. The manufacture of oil from grape seed is said to be an Italian invention. and the province of Verona alone makes annually about 400,000 pounds of the product .- Field and

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THE PEMBROKE TRAGEDY

The criminal annals of New England record some unusual crimes. but none excelling in fantastic horror state, on Wednesday. The deliberate cruelty of the deed makes the story of it read like one of Poe's gruesome tales.

It is hard for the normal mind to conceive the possibility of such a crime. That the man guilty was insane is the only possible explanation. but even this does not fully explain, because insanity is sofething difficult to comprehend.

The literature of crime, to which tains no reference to amore horrible deed than that which has brought un-

What impels the mentally unbal The cotton planters of the south will need to commit such deeds it would say amen to this bill," says the Atbe difficult to say. That they do not lanta Constitution. lack realization of what they have done is proven by the frequency with which they afterward take their own a crime so revolting as that of which the plans of the national defences. we have but lately read is inconceivable. Certainly, there can be no question that only one at least temporarily insance could have planned and executed such a deed.

emulate the criminals of fiction. The claim has been made that the stories of "Raffles" and "Sherlock ble for some of the bizarre crimes the same gale the schooner John W. probable. For one thing, it is to be doubted if many of those who have committed the strengest of latter day crimes are especially familiar with who enjoy social pleasures. current literature. Besides, "Raffies" stopped short of murder always and "Sherlock Holmes" was a man whose life was devoted to the detection and prevention of crime. One who emulated Holmes would be more likely to seek to bring criminals to justice than to become one himself.

The truth probably is that there in the wery woman may be attractno logical reason for the strange: fancies which find their way into the diseased mind. Its thoughts are no more capable of analysis than the acts it prompts are of explanation.

BIRDS' EYE VIEWS

Pattering and splattering Down upon the pane, Welcome to the milkman Is the gentle rain.

Why doesn't someone trot out a few candidates for the Hall of Shame?

A football team of Russian Jews ought to be right in it next season, provided they are Moscow trained,

Our broad welcome to the scum of the world is an insult to ourselves This fact is one the country is now beginning to realize.

A New Jersey chemist claims to

into gold. Fool's gold, most likely; the philosopher's stone isn't likely to to discovered in this A. D.

President McCall says the newspapers are responsible for his retire is toomin' in the future, lookin' bigment. That is something to the credit of the newspapers which ought to I sure do love my country; an' I know times, 60 cents a menth, 2 cents earn them the everlasting gratitude

> House" is the way Speaker Cannon refers to his elderly associates, whom the younger members call "Old Goats." Why not split the difference But the sun comes out a-shinin' an and call some of 'em satyrs?

The freeze of ice in Maine is said to be a poor one, being full of drift. The crop in this vicinity is all right, however, and perhaps the Pine Tree ice shippers will sometime wake up to the fact that southern New Hampshire offers many ideal places for the cutting of the annual crop.

The Exerer News-Letter carries one unique piece of advertising. A Rockingham county farmer, under the head "Farm Still Sale-ing," tries to dispose of his property by the following: In the good old town of Newfields, Lies the farm I have for sale, Five minutes walk to station,

If you want to go to heaven, And escape the devil's clutch. With uni-congre-metho-dys

"Of course that Hall of Shame proposition is a fake. No building could be large enough to admit all the candidates," says the Portland

On the other hand, neither could any Hall of Fame hold all the candi-

federal agricultural department has resulted in the introduction of a bill Point cadets cooking lessons if they by Congressman Burleson, of Texas, prescribing a penalty for those who eat the products .- Pitisburg Gazette. traffic in information which comes to them by virtue of their positions in the government. It provides that any officer or employee of the government who divulges or utilizes for profit any information gathered by the govern Courier-Journal. Poe in America and Doyle in England ment which may affect the price of a have been notable contributors con- commodity or the securities of a corporation may be imprisoned not less than three years or more than ten pleasant fame to Pembroke. There years, and in addition be fined in any is none of the mystery which always sum not exceeding \$10,000. The same free through the mail. This seems surrounds the crimes brought to the pealty is provided for one who specuattention of "Sherlock Holmes", but lates in any commodity or stock af lic revenues a bit too far.—Baltimore not one of the blood-chilling details is feeted by information thus fraudulent American. ly procured from the government.

The man who traffics in information obtained through his position under the government is just as much an lives. That a man whose brain was enemy to the government as he who unclouded would or could be guilty of sells for the proverbial flithy lucre

JUST THINK OF THIS

Sundays in succession when fierce It has been suggested that these blizzards prevailed with drifts of real life murderers are but seeking to snow fifteen feet deep, and Boston harbor frozen. Jan. 17, 1867, the worst blizzard known for thirty years occurred On that night two old Holems" have been directly responsi- ladies in Auburn were murdered. In which the daily press has of late Lowe was lost on its passage home been forced to chronicle. This, from Newfoundland, and Oliver A. while it may be true, seems hardly Norton of Cape Neddick was one of

It has been a busy winter for those

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I try my best to worry 'bout the troubles that they say

Of the warnin's we've been gettin' that it's lingerin' on the brink "White-haired mandarins of the Of every kind of smash-up that is

known to mortal man. I try to grieve and be as apprehensive as I can;

the bells begin to chime. And there's so much good a goin' that I haven't got the time.

I try my best to listen with a melan-

An' offer some suggestions to pile up the load of care.

er, an' all that sort o' thing know is mighty serious, if you'l. jes' make out to bring Four mind to bear upon 'em. But

the laughter in the sky An' the swaying of the branches as the wind goes dancin' by

light an' careless rhyme. I try my best to worry, but I haven't got the time .--Washington Star.

No. Free Raw Material

If Judge Hamilton persists in staying in Europe much longer he may mond Times-Dispatch.

Still, if his Cossacks can kill off enough subjects to preserve the peace that perpetrated in Pembroke, this dates. But the Hall of Shame is where is Nicholas to get the taxes to doubtless destined for the most keep up the pace?-Newark Advertis-

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ance investigation is that it will turn | Singing. loose on the helpless public a vast | Prayer number of magazine writers to discuss modern methods of finance.-Florida Times-Union

P. D. AND Y. ST. RY. IS BUSY

Judging from the number of snow shields erected by the electric road at various places along its lines preparations were made for a severe winter Anyway, the public will not be disappointed if such expectations are not realized and doubtless the road will offer no complaints. There have been winter seasons, however, when the traveling public would have appreciated such protection, and perhaps it is not yet too late to experience a test of their efficacy. But if not this winter there probably will be other opportunities, and it is to be Dismissal hoped that discouragement will not lend itself to such praiseworthy cfforts in future seasons when conditions are not likely to be so favorable .- York Transcript.

MANY TELEPHONES .FOR YORK

E. H. Drew, Portsmouth manager of the New England Telephone Company, predicts that York will have 300 telephones in operation next summer. If his prophecy comes true the company's business in York during three years will have increased fully three-fold. The addition of the rural lines has been responsible for a good share of the growth -York | 11 50 a m. Wednesday evening tes-

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AT THE CHURCHES

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The orders of services for Sunday and the week ensuing at the several churchts of Portsmouth are append-

Christ Church

Holy Eucharist 10.30 Pro: "As With Gladness Men of Old," Introit Psalm 23, Kyrie.

Credo, Woodward Offertory, "Angels Ever Bright and Handel Fair " Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus Dei,

Woodward Gloria in excelsis, Pro: "Brightest and Best are the Sons of the Morning,"

Evensong 730 p. m. Pro. "As With Gladness Men of Versicles and Responses, Tallis Psalter for the Day, Gregorian Magnificat,

Nunc Dimittis, Hymn, "Great God, to Thee My Ev- come for all, who wish to attend. ening Hymn," fertory, "There Away,"

People's Church

It will be Rally day at the People's Church tomorrow, with preaching in the morning at eleven o'clock, lyceum

at three p. m. The program follows:

Piano and flute solo, Misses Cornish and Pilgrim

Select reading. Talks, "Father and Mother's Love to Sons and Daughters," E. S. Rose Rev. J. O. Cornish

Miss D. Cornish Recitation. Address, "The Religion of the Negro in the South before the War."

Mr Evans is the oldest steward of the United States navy, and having been born a slave can tell much of its religion. He is interesting and it will pay to come and hear him.

Singing, followed by a general dis-

There will be preaching in the evening at 8 p. m by Rev. P C James. The public is invited.

Court Street Christian Church Morning worship with preaching

by the pastor at 10.30 a. m; Sunday school at 11 45 a m.; Christian Endeavor at 6.30 p. m., subject: "Lessons from the Boyhood of Jesus" Regular preaching service at 7.30

Christian Science Society Regular Sunday services at 10 45 a.

m; subject "Love" Sunday school at timonial meeting at 7.45 p. m. all are welcome. Services are held at Conservatory Hall.

Universalist Church

At the Universalist Church on Sun day forenoon the pastor, Rev. George E. Leighton, will take as the subject of the sermon "The Rebound of Human Shafts." Acts XXVI 14. Sunday school immediately follows

"Good and Bad Discontent,"

be the theme of the paper to be presented at the meeting in the vestry at half past six o'clock of the Young Peoples' Christian Union. Texts, wake up some morning to find himself The Orders Of Services For The Week The following Sabbath will be Young

> on Sunday afternoon at 3.30 o'clock. The choir of the church will render the music.

> and Gospel service at 7.30 p. m

A cordial invitation is extended to all these services.

Middle Street Baptist Church

Public services at 1030 a. m. and 30 p. m. Preaching by the pastor, George W. Gile, subject of the omrning sermon "The Penitent's First Prayer " Evening's sermon "The Recoil of Wrongdoing." Special selections by the young ladies' quartet. The congregation will join in the Clare singing of the hymns. A hearty wel-Sunday school in the chapel at 12 m

Advent Church

At the Advent Church on Sunday the pastor will preach at 2.30 p m. The subject of the sermon will be:

Anthem, "The Lord is My Light",

Parker Anthem, "Listen, O Isles, Unto Me", Stevenson Remarks by the president, Mr. Burton Tenor solo, "How Long Wilt Thou

MAKING ARTIFICIAL LIFE. Living Things Are Created by the

reactions, certain living bodies of an, extremely low form, which he calls WHIST SCORE CARDS for sale at this of sepie, call 'radiobes.'' Prof Burke, says the Technical

World Magazine, treated a solution of gelatine with bromide of radium and the radiobes resulted. A radiobe apspeck," and "it grows to two dots, then a dumb-bell-shaped appearance, later more like a frog's spawn." But is it really alive? On this point

hear Prof. Burke himself: "The continuity of structure, assimilation and growth, and then subdivision, together with the nucleated structure as shown in a few of the best

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Pearl Street Free Will Baptist Church Sunday services at the Pearl Street Church will be conducted by the pastor, Rev. V. E. Bragdon, Preaching at 10.30 a. m., Sunday school at 12 m.

"Plenty of Evidence." Evangelistic service at 7 15. All invited, Sunday Music at Unitarian Church

Thou Forget Me?" Ralph S Parker

Operations of Scientists. Scientists have been recently interested in the announcement that Prof. J Butler Burke, of the Cavendish laboratory. Cambridge. England, has succeeded in creating, by chemical, lington Sts. Apply to C. E. Almy, 87 Mar oratory. Cambridge. England, has

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music lovers who knew a good thing. Misses Garland and Rugg outdid their usual fine renditions, the quartet certainly "did themselves proud."

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Piano duet. Selected Misses Mary Garland, Alberta Rugg

A. O. Searles Solo, Aria from "King Rene's Daugh

Miss Hall 'Cello solo, "Simple Confession," Miss Gail Willis Male quartet, "Far Away," Bass solo, "Bedourn Love Song,"

Charles E. Prescott

A. O. Searles Miss Hall

'Cello solo, Intermezzo from "Cavalliera Rusticana," Mascagni

Miss Gail Willis proof that there were present many Male quartet, "Kentucky Babe,"

Geibel The sum of \$56 was realized and the committee in charge is very grateful to the townsfolk who assisted, as well as to the people from this city;

who helped to make the affair suc-

AT MUSIC HALL

Harcourt Comedy Company Plays To Large Audience

At Music Hall on Friday afternoon and evening the Harcourt Comedy Company played to large audiences. In the afternoon "We Uns of Tenessee" was presented, and in the evening "A Soldier of France."

In both, Charles K. Harris and May Melvin were greeted with much applause, which was well earned by

The specialties were of considerable

This afternoon "Rip Van Winkle" will be shown and this evening "In the Heart of the Klondike."

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FIRM OF NEAL AND PRAY RE-CALLED

ding and the contracting parties were Miss Wedlock and Mr. Marriage. The connection of these names brings to mind a peculiar firm name of Neal and Pray, who years ago did Fremont Varrell.-York Transcript, business in this city.

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COMMENT AND QUERY

Have you noticed how the days are stretching out?

What will we do with the spare room on the second floor at City

The North and South ponds have not furnished hardly any skating so far this winter.

The iron workers at the paper plant are finishing up the work of the boil-

going thick and fast. The Boston and Maine railroad has

a lot of new snow plows but has not had a chance to see how much they Woodman are worth. Will the weather prophets

> back their predictions? Foreman James A. Corey at the

Boston and Maine railroad roundhouse is having many decided improvements made there.

The two park commissioners may not be elected by the new city government until the grass starts to show a little green color.

The Franklin Pierce Veteran Firemen's Association is going along

The Langdon House changes hands

The horses had a hard time on the asphalt Friday.

Will the motive power for the stone crusher be put in shape again?

What has become of the local work of musical organizations in this city?

WHAT THE PEOPLE SAY

To the Editor of The Herald:-I read in the report of the last meeting of the city council that the Democrats refused to place in nomination a candidate for superintendent of Haven Park and by so doing the present superintendent. Leslie Norman is still serving in that capacity. I hope that when they do vote for a candidate that it will be Mr. Norman. By his efforts the beautiful spot is kept in excellent shape, and he is the right man for the place.

PLEASANTLY ,SITUATED

Word has been received from the York party now staying at N. P. M. Jacob's hotel, the Sparhawk, at Orange Park, Florida. They are delighted with the location which is on the St. John's river fourteen miles from San Francisco recently had a wed- Jacksonville with steamers twice a day each day. The party consists of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Simpson and daughter, Dorothy; H. Z. Ellis, Miss Josephine Baker, John H. Varrell and

GRANGE DRAMA

The drama "Valley Farm" will be Grange. Dancing follows, 25c.

Pillage The Post Office in Newfields

The Newfields postoffice was looted on Friday morning and about \$50 worth of stamps and money taken from the safe, which was blown open with dynamite.

The burglars first broke into the Boston and Maine handcar house not far from the depot, where they pro cured implements for entering the government building. A heavy crow bar and wrenches were found within the building and about the door. The glass in the front door was shattered and by this means the plunderers entered. The safe was badly shatments.

The booty taken was mostly in stamps, as Postmaster H. J. Paul had recently remitted the quarterly income to headquarters. Several letters lying about the office were opened and from one the sum of \$1 was taken. A box of money containing the amount of about \$2 was tak en from rural deliverer, D. R. Smith, and about \$4 from the cash register of Ernest S. Neal, who conducts a grocery store in the same building. Two of the drawers from the safe were later found under the steps of the handcar house by the railroad. These contained money order blanks. etc., which were comparatively useless. Several one cent stamps were found near the railroad station early yesterday morning, which were evi

The explosion of the safe percepti bly shook the contents of the office and store and shattered one of the large panes of glass in the office window. Nearby residents report a heavy jar in the night, but mistook the report for an earthquake. Sever al dogs along the street were aroused.

dently dropped byt he burglars.

It has been several years since burglars visited the town. There is no clew to the direction of the plundderers although several heard the fast flight of a team towards Exeter And still the business rumors are about two o'clock.

Special Jury Drawing to Presence Of City Clerk Moran Last Evening

There was a special drawing of petit jurors for the January term of court at Exeter at City Hall on Friday evening in the presence of City Clerk William Moran.

The result follows: Ward One, William H. Fay; Ward Two, Charles C. Jones; Ward Three, James F. Marshall; Ward Four, William McEvoy;

Ward Five, John F. Flynn,

COURT ADJOURNS

Takes A Recess Until The Coming Monday

Superior court at Exeter adjourned at noon on Friday until next Monday. The Seabrook case is still before the court, and at the conclusion of yesterday's session, evidence was be-

ing put in for the defendant. The trial of the case will be resumed at 2.30 p.m., Monday,

SNOW STORM ARRIVES

Another snow storm with light flakes, heavy flakes, soft flakes, hard flakes and many other sorts of flakes arrived at about ten o'clock this forenoon. The weatherwise are still waiting to place their predictions on the length of the storm.

Industrial Precious Metal. The world's total supply of platinum

during the year 1904 was about 13,860 pounds, 13,200 pounds of which came from Russia. The United States produced 200 ounces, valued at \$4.160. All of this came from California and Oregon, the Wyoming mine having suspended operations. The price of platinum increased ten per cent. during the year. According to Dr. David T. Day, of the United States geological survey, the outlook for an increased production during 1905 is good. The present price of platinum-\$20.50 an given in Freeman's Hall Tuesday ev- ounce—is the highest which this metal your druggist for them. 25 cents a ening under the auspices of the local has reached in recent years.—Electrical

LONG TRIP WITH OX TEAM.

Over 1500 Miles Made by Elderly Couple and Family in Eight Months.

An old-time prairie schooner, drawn by two ox teams, and the wagon filled with the entire earthly possessions of William Hoyt has covered the of 1,200 miles between Decatur, Ala., and Guthrie since April 6 last, with stops of several weeks duration at Memphis, Little Rock and Fort Smith, where Hoyt worked to get enough money on which to continue the journey to Beaver county, in this territory, where he will homestead a claim and begin life anew, says a Guthrie (Okla.) correspondence of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. Hoyt is now 60 years old, and is accompanied by his wife, aged 52, a son. Louis, aged 14, and two daughters, Clementine, aged 13, and Katherine, aged 10. When the outfit reaches Beaver county it will have covered 1,500 miles.

Hoyt himself is white haired, but spry. All his life he has been an iron molder and for 40 years he worked in shops at Decatur. Finally he became sick and his physicians recommended a complete change of climate. Hoyt sold what property he had and purchased the oxen and six head of cows and started. Hoyt and his son attendtered, the door being blown into frag- tend to the oxen while the mother and oldest girl follow on foot with the cows. The cows are tied together, to prevent a stampede, and all are led by Mrs. Hoyt. The girl leads a threemonths-old calf. All parties, excepting the youngest daughter, have walked practically the entire distance.

Hoyt has regained his health and expects to use the oxen next spring to break sod and tend at least 50 acres of corn and kaffir corn.

GIANT WORK OF GLACIER.

Electric Power Being Generated by Melted Ice of the Northwestern Mountains.

From the glacial streams of Tacoma is already generated a very large quantity of electric power, which is being utilized not only for power, but for heating and lighting as well. To give an idea of the diversity of uses for the current, says the Technical World Magazine, it may be stated that it operates the electric railway systems in the cities of Seattle and Tacoma aggregating 168 miles of trolley line, in addition to cable railways situated in the hilly portions of these cities. Besides this service, however, current is furnished for one of the most notable interurban electric railways in the United States, that extending between Seattle and Tacoma, where power is secured from the third rail in connection with the multiple-unit system. This line is employed not only for passenger service, but for transporting freight and express material, and ranks among the most completely equipped electric systems in the world. The horse power required for a number of the largest industries in the city of Tacoma, including the shops of the Northern Pacific railway and the water-works pumping plant, is also obtained from this source; while illumination, for streets and buildings, in both Seattle and Tacoma, depends upon it to a considerable extent. The demand for power is increasing so rapidly that within a few years Mount Tacoma will be supplying fully 50,0000 horse-power to the cities mentioned.

Cold Winter Coming.

Basing his prognostications on the habits of the mole, an old mole-killer in Olten, Switzerland, announces that the coming winter will be the longest and severest for the last 15 years, the moles having added two deeper galleries to their usual winter quarters. and laid in double the ordinary provisions.



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every day in some strained, unnatura; you. Said he had been thinking for a position-hending constantly over a long time that he'd invite you out to desk-riding on jolting wagons of some public entertainment." cars-doing laborious housework; lifting, reaching or pulling, or trying and beg him to hurry," returned Betty. the back in a hundred and one other a subject of prayerful consideration a ways. All these strains and to wear, weaken and injure the hidneys; intentions will reach me by a more di until they fall behind in their wor's rest line. Meanwhile, I can wait." of filtering the poisons from the Big brother looked discouraged, and blood. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sich kidneys, put new strength in bad backs. Portsmouth cires prove it.

Kidney Pills did my sor have good tried. He is employed on the B. and spend the evening there." M. Railroad, and of course there is a constant jolting and jarting to the trains and this, I think, is what that I had a distant cousin in Texas caused the trouble. He had a terri t who might be able to supply him with bly lame back and at times would; the desired information? feel tired and sore all over his body. Learning that Doan's Kidney Pids were a fine remedy for kidney com plaint he procured a box. Since h. used Doan's Kidney Pills he has had nothing was heard from McBrief heno signs of his former troubles, and yound the periodical warnings brought he gives all the credit to this medicine, and considers it most reliable for backache and kidney trouble."

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BETTY'S INVITATION

"I met McBrier on the street today, Service for People Who Work is ! Betty," said the married big brother who wants everybody he loves to be married, too. "Say, there's a fine (el-Most Portsmouth people worl | low. He asked very particularly after

"I hope you didn't go on your kness few years tonger maybe the news of his

the subject of McBrier dropped. A month passed. Then "Say, Betty Legan the brother again, "I lunched with McBrier today and he asked to be re-B. A. Berry, of 85 Congress street, membered to you. He wanted to know Portsmouth, N. H., says: Deau's if I thought you'd do anything so unconventional as to dine with him at than any other medicals he even one of the amusement gardens and

"And you told him---?"

"Why, I said I thought you would." "Oh! You ought to have told him

"Now, Betry! He talks to me like a brother. He dossn't think I'm goir a stretched hand. to come and tell year

Then the weeks went on again and in from time to time by big brother. "Oh, Betty," he would say, "I ran

into McBrier at the club today. He asked me specially whether you were fond of light opera." Or, "By the way, his regards. He wanted to know whether you enjoyed rowing."

The matter had become a family by word and everybody in the houseeven the two girl cousins who were visiting Retty when the crisis cameknew her feelings on the subject.

"I never heard of anything so ridleulous in my life," she was teiling her cousins one evening, just after another her sunshade and arranged it in front of big brother's mesages. "If Mr. Mc-



Brier ever should do anything so cash as actually to invite me somewhere, the suddenness of it would be so great a shock that I wouldn't be able to gothat's one thing certain! It's the most

was presented to her.

"Herrors! He's actually here! What shail I do? You must come down with see any of the old crowd?" me, girls.'

"'Deed we won't," they giggled. trade and hear you crush him!"

out on the porch where you can't hear." "Then we'll get in the hall window sear. The window's open."

"Sinners! You won't dare," said Betty over her shoulder as she fluttered down the stairs. But she feared they would; so she led her guest into the reception room and sat in a chair facing the door and set him the example of speaking in low tones. It did no good. He spoke as if he were delivering a public oration, and Betty shiv- | ered in apprehension every time a new subject was started.

For half an hour they talked commonplaces. Then he hesitated, "I won-Market street, or at residence der if it would be presuming, Miss cor. New Vaughau street and Betty—" he began.

Immediately there was a rustle in the hall window.

"Oh see, there soes a balloon over that bours!" cried Betty, with the exelement of a f-year-old. It had sudden'y occurred to her that McBrier was a very nice man and that he probably phada's realized how many times he had spoken of this invitation, and that if if we ca't for those miserable gals who were listening she might-well, anyway, the halfergotten all these crushing remarks she had intended making. "I worder if I might ask-- " he be-

man agair. "Listen"" Creeried, "Et ase the but I thought it was our telephone hell " "I was only gonor to ask if it would

trouble y nations come naired of war-"Oht" griped litty, and then they

both heart a strange or amotion in the window sear in the lean-

"Is that the dota" asker McBriet. "No-er very likely I'll see"

"Let me see," and MaBres stated for the door

"Thank you," raid Delty our Comeantime. I'll get the enter" There was nothing at all in the dilledow seat, but something we prord

whishing up the stan . . . he went back to the porch to meditate Better was come some time, and in t what happened after the came but 1 no one positively knows, heavise de a m'r

tell. All the gire could be a ma one "Delightful I'm suite. Bar I + P. think I coght to have two time and a express, proposi, for and sold in to you by my becther or only or there are time next month?" Chango ; w

REMINISCENCES

The season at Digby-the Newport of Nova Scotia-was at its height. Emerson, tired of the nonsensical chatter of the summer girls at The Pines, made his way down to the

beach where he could watch the incoming tide and be soothed by old Fundy's deep stentorian roar.

In the distance the Union Jack waved listlessly in the summer breeze. A

quiet somnolence prevailed everywhere. H watched the sea guils as they flew hither and thither, sometimes alighting. for an instant, on a bit of rock or sea weed; then up and away, soaring higher and higher, in the heavens until they were mere specks in the horizon. The longer he watched them the

more ardently be wished he were a guil or bird of prey so that when weary of this existence he could hie him away to other scenes. He was deep in a reverie when some-

thing dropped in his lap. A plok sunshade.

"Ob. I beg your pardon, how careless of me. He looked up.

"Edith!" "Haroid!"

Simultaneously they uttered the words, and he sprang to grasp her out-

"What in the world are you doing berer" she said.

"A truce from business cares," he replied; "and you?" "Oh, I'm with a party of New York

friends. We returned from abroad last month only to learn that we were to be entertained by one of our party in Montreal. From thence we came to Digby, and here we are all comfortably ensconced at the Lour Lodge." "You haven't changed a bit." he

said, as he gave her a sweeping glance. 'Same sparkling black eyes, same wavy brown hair that curls in the same provoking way over your left ear." She smiled.

"And where have you been since I saw you last?" he continued,

He watched her as she deftly opened of them to shut out the glaring sun, and his mind wandered back to three rears before when he had first met her at Bar Harbor, when every corner and crevice of his heart was filled with her ımage.

There was a delightful summer spent in her company. Automobile rides, boating, bathing and moonlight strolls where they vowed undying devotion.

Then he returned to college, and she to her studies abroad, and somehow they drifted apart.

He awoke with a start to realize that he had not heard a word of her conversation.

"And what do you think, Harold?" she was saying. "I met Florence Eggleston in Paris at the opera. We only talked for a moment. She was with some Frenchman, an inferior looking person with an unpronounceable name. I didn't have time to speak with her very long, and Mrs. De Laci, my hostess, says it is just as well, for she has a decidenty questionable reputation in Eurone. You know, we used to think her quite pretty, but mercy! hasn't she faded? Really she looked extremely vulgar and overdressed.

"Then a met the Taylors and Conrads in Rome, and many other of our At that very instant McBrier's card old friends on the continent.

"How is it with you. Harold? What have you been doing? Do you ever

"Occasionally,' he answered, gazing across the Bay of Fundy. "I can into We're going to listen at the balus- | Clyde Fessendon the other day at Sherry's, and I hardly knew him, he looked "Well, you aren't! I shall take him so seedy. Why, he's a physical wreck. and looked more like a walking ghost than a human being. I hadn't seen him for three years, so I suppose the change struck me more forcibly. He talked absent-mindedly about the current events, and after he went out I asked Will Travers, who happened to be with me, what ailed him. He said: 'Why, didn't you know he'd failed in business? He married one of the ponular debutantes last year. Can't think of her name now, but she's a terrible spendthrift, they say. Took about all he made to keep her in togs and swell

her around, so he went through." "Poor fellow," she said. "That's the penaity. I suppose you are married,

Harold?' "Oh, yes, some time ago," "To whom, may I ask?" "Florence Eggleston."

They were silent. "And you?" he said presently. "Oh' I married Clyde Fessendon."-Boston Past.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

True love says nothing and swaps

A swelled head indicates a contract-

It is easier for most people to be plor-

than honest.

A knot will not come untied if it would rather knot than mee

Give a woman a chance to clow off

and she will make good Some men make friends and schae

others make them tired. Pride holds a few perple up and throws a good many deva-

No. Alonzo, a man of arit doc alt

necessarily have a sandy complexion. Many a woman leads a dog's life--by

holding the other end of the string. Speaking of unnatural mathics what's the matter with the incubator?

Money saved makes being extrava-

HIS LOVE LETTER

"And you've been in the city two weeks without knowing a soul? Must be a mightly slow time you're having." The keen-eyed broker looked ques-

face. "Yes-it isn't very exciting." "How much more of it is there?" "I'll get away nent week, I guess,

The trials are about over." Never before had Lawrence served on a federal jury, and when the marshal's summons called him from the farm it seemed a message of joy. Two or three weeks in the city-and be paid | Youth pledged his troth. for it! Nothing to do after 4 o'clock; all the sights of the town at his command. He fairly shuckled at the good fortune that allowed his came to be ago, how the loggia had been a meetdrawn from the box. He had not been ing place for the haughty nobles of to the city, except on flying trips with cattle, for fifteen years,

lawrence was easily molded by conditions. The round year on the farm alternately exalted and dep assed him. It reemed that he never had a vacation. In the local paper he read of the banker going to the mountains and of the ed. never wearying, the history of the physician spending a month on the bell tower. Though a man of no edulakes, and now had come his turn. "Say, how would you like to take in

the town?'

It was the broker back at his side, well have a little fun in this world as yeu go along, you know."

Take in the town? The expression was familiar. He had heard men tell about it, but into his own sheltered life no such experience had come. At times in the presence of more experienced companions he had known a curious shame that he was ignorant of so much in which they seemed to have found delight. He was as if outside their fraternity, an ailen in worldliness.

"A chance of a lifetime." the broker was saying. "We'll do it right. Be one of the boys once."

"Have to change your room, sir," remarked the clerk as Lawrence went to the dosk for his key. "Theatrical troupe takes your whole floor."

Patiently Lawrence followed the bellboy to his new location. The furniture was luxurious, the hangings rich and heavy, the light dazzling. He was pleased with this hotel. It seemed homel'ke to him.

He and Helen had stayed here a week on their wedding trip, and instinctively he had sought the place. They had in the bureau drawer in their sitting room a menu card pilfered from the dining table and a receipted bill for their accommodations, "seven days at] \$3---\$56." He had not looked at the scraphock in years, but as he entered the new room it all came back to him -for this was their old apartment. The naper was different and the adornments were modern, but the old-fashioned mahogany furniture was unchanged. He had the old bridal chamber. Of course, the hotel did not know it as such-much finer suites were used

The man sank into an easy chair. Helen occupied his thoughts. As in a panorama the years of their wedded life spread before him, and he contrasted the last view he had of her as he left the little country station with that was yet beautiful to him; she was yet air of one who could not understand become accustomed to things; life was swer to any question, except to say so humdrum at home, perhaps he had stupidly that he was not hurt, and, in however disagreeable. neglected some little courtesies due spite of Tessa's anxious ministrations, her. He felt a humble guiltiness.

Suddenly there came to him an inspiration—he would write a love letter. They had never in all their married life been separated so long as this. Of sat up and called the girl and Harkcourse, at times he had had occasion to write to her short messages beginning, 'Dear Wife," and ending "Yours aff." but no love letetrs. He pushed a button and ordered writing material.

"Do not let any one come to the room." were his orders as the boy turned away. Then he began:

"My Sweetheart-" the opening "You do not know how much I love you." Lawrence smiled as he read in the blue waters of the bay and over the words. It had been more than fifteen years since he had used such expressions on paper. On and on his pen flew, coining lonesomeness into afthe days of happy communion, pouring out his soul as he had never done in all his life. It was the sublime concentration of clean living and pure loving. He was at his best there in the old bridel chamber, the experience of a adetime illumining his soul.

When, with tears glistening in his Illustrated Bits. blue eyes, he signed "Your husband" to the long letter, he seemed to have

thrown off the burden of years. In .. kly he addressed the envelope and hurried to the office.

"Gentleman in the billiard room waiting for you, sir," remarked the train was standing here, clerk as he approached the desk. "We sent the hoy to your room, but no

I lu't get noy answer," the mini box. In a quick glance he stuck in the whistling valve and all the to insist on addressing the chief execucaucht the broker's form and a famil- frenzied engineer could do was to let live as "President." For votice sounded above the crack of lier shiles.-Prior Ci cli Clipper,

Ivery balls. "You may tell him," he replied, "that I have gone to hed and do not wish to lic disturbed."

To dropped the letter in the box and with a firm step mounted the broad string; Chirgo Record-Heraid,

In 59 years Mexico had 52 presidents, dictators and emperors, before the time of President Diaz Cecil Rhodes did not believe in the stability of the country, There is no garranty," he said, "that after President Diaz dies Mexico will teason, illitation which, instead of company married the daughter of a have any better government than that fending in a paragraph in the meraing which prevails in the South American papers and 560 wedding presents, only co tatries,"

I himself is never accused of gossiping I icid.

FALL OF CAMPANILE

"I tell thee," returned old Jacopo, querulously, and with the same impatient gesture he had often used to the St. Mark's pigeons when they grew too tioningly into the elder man's tanned familiar; "I tell thee, thou canst not have the girl! One thing I swear to thee-my Tessa shall no man have unless he dwell within sight of the Cam-

> As he spoke he glanced affectionately at the great bell tower crowning St. Mark's. Under the benign smile of the golden angel poised on its graceful height had Jacopo in his long-gone To that dead Teses had he first told

the story of the Campanile -how Doge Pietro Tribuno had begun it centuries So well had he told it that she suggested to him the occupation of guide, and under her inspiration he had succeeded beyond his hopes. He grew to

be a great favorite among all tourists, and to many nationalities he repeatcation, he was strongly tinged with the poetry of his passionate country. Suddenly turning, he plunged into

the alley and disappeared from view. peering into his face. "It would cheer Harkness was left to wander disconsoyou up and do you good. Might as lately through the piazza, and to ponder on Tessa's gentle but firm assurance that she could not marry without her father's consent. "As if our trees and some of our riv-

> ers weren't worth a thousand hell towers!" he muttered, wrathfully, Then suddenly be grasped the arm

of a bystander, and, pointing eagerly to the Campanile, demanded in his usual curt Italian if "that" had always been there." "That" proved to be a crack yawning in the Campanile itself. In his surprise

and horror the Venetian overlooked the slight to his dignity. "Signore, no," he said, anxiously: "the authorities must be informed."

The authorities were informed, and a careful inspection resulted in the discovery that this supreme treasure of Italy was in danger. So, at least, said the city magnates, but old Jacopo refused to believe.

"When thy bones and mine have been a century decayed." he said. scornfully, to Harkness, "the Campanile will stand there." The Monday following the discovery

of the crack he was persistently lingering near the Campanile, though much irritated by the presence of Tessa's lover, who continued to urge his That the Englishman had found this flaw in the tower annoyed the guide

bitterly, and he turned the deafest of

cars to all the young man's pleadingsso deaf, indeed, that at first he took the ominous cracking sound rising sharply from the tower for an explosion elsewhere in the city. But at Harkness' cry he whirled around and faced the awful sight of the Campanile crashing down toward there

In full reach of the sinking angel he lifted him like a feather and the Englishman ran for both their lives.

Jacopo suffered the young sailor to lead him home, still with the stunned refused all food for nearly two days, lying languidly on his simple pallet.

Hourly Tessa saw him fading, but at last, with a flush of his old energy, he ness to him.

"I said you should marry ro man who did not dwell in the shadow of the tower, Tessa mio," he said, quietly; "but where may such a man be found ing in the city is higher than the labor marvel-how a maid's heart is stronger | meal time."-Literary Digest.

than her native land!" His mind began to wander. The old voice trailed off into a dying whisper, for other doors had opened. and through them Jacopo had passed .-

A 100-Mile Whistle,

The Katy flyer came in and went out the piercing shrick all the time the

It whistled one long blast reaching from Oswego to Verdark, a distance of 100 miles, which is no doubt the long-

Up to 1849 there were no iron bridges in the United States except suspension bridges, in which iron links were used in the cables and suspenders, the floor system being of wood. The first bridge in America consisting of iron throughout was built in 1840 by Earl Trumbull over the Eric canal in the village of Frankfort, N. Y.

Whatever may be the background, flirtation is the real business of the too frequently results in a girl's tonene becoming a criffe sharper, her outlook The man who is always talking to on life a little more grim .- ladieg'

ENGLAND'S COTTON PLANS. There is no immediate menace in the

threats of the English cotton manufactwiers to develop oction growing in Africa and Asia. It would take Great Britain at least twenty years to raise a fair crop in the whole of its colorial possessions, says the New York World Even with all the advantages of soil and climate in India and the African colonies, the English manufacturers could not expect results for an indefinite period. What the English macufacturers could do in twenty years would probably stand as insignificant results in relation to the world's sup-Hy and demand.

Negro labor has been a failure in all field work in the south. Cotton-growing and tice culture are no exceptions. With good white labor the supply of cotton is larger, in any locality, and the quality is better. The facilities for obtaining white labor are now improving. The scuth will increase its cotton output stendily, as it has been doing from lots. year to year during the last fourteen years; this it will do while developing its other agricultural and its manufactuning resources, and England will stand a poor chance.

"VEGETABLE JUICES."

Of finding many cure-alls there is no and. After men have been living largely on potatoes, cabbages, onions; beets. turnips and such homely vegetables for con tless generations, and developing all forms of tuberculosis meanwhile at an alarming rate, the discovery in made by some of our physicians that; the combined juice of these vegetables. administered as a medicine, will cuconsumption and, presumably, other forms of tuberculosis. At any rate, surprising effects, very like cures, have been obtained in the New York Post-Graduate Hospital by this treatment, says the New York Mail.

This result seems to carry us back to the practice of country people who. when a sick cow or a horse has been given up by the veterinary, turn the animal out in the woods and let it feebly wander about, believing that it will find and devour the plant which will cure it. Strange to say, the creature often does this very thing. Staggering and searching, it comes somewhere upon a plant which it selects and eats, in considerable quantitiesand recovers.

"OUR NEWSPAPERS."

"Our newspapers are doubtless awful things," says a presumably cultured but very supercilious party in Harper's Weekly, "but we could ill spare them." How condescending!

"It is true, ' he continues, "that most of them devote much space to murder and baseball, for neither of which subjects the caltivated reader cares much, though it is astonishang how the interest in murder keeps up with the less cultivated average reader, common though it has become, sad to say," As a matter of fact, all kinds of cul-

ture, the fake and the real, are decidedly interested in murder. Suprose "our newspapers" didn't give the news about crime. Who would be the first to complain of the omission? Culture. stoop gaping. Then two powerful arms | Intelligence of all grades, call it by what name you please, would make a minding the journalist of his responsibility for the safety of the community horse to use some appliance rather his ideal of womanhood-but he had what had happened. He made no an- and commanding him in the name of than to attempt to coerce him opencitizenship to perform his full duty,

LESS WHISKEY DRINKING. It is contended by some sociologists that the Americans would be the most | quickly the balky habit will be sober people in the world if they would substitute beer for whiskey as their national drink, as malt beverages rarely lead to excessive drinking. Says the

Housion Post: "People can become intoxicated by beer, just as they can by overinaulnow? Shadow, indeed, the Campanile gence of coffee, but it is comparativethrows no longer, and the lowest build- | ly rare that beer is consumed in harmful quantities. The experience of the of the masters. Never again shall thou United States army during the cont.on and I, my daughter, let our boat drift days was that there was a comparative absence of drunkenness among the relwatch the setting sun lay a crown of diers when beer and light wines were I grow confused! Wed her, Inglesi, ble use. Millions of families have be-

"HIS EXCELLENCY."

It was recently anounced in the Moniteur Official that heteafter the president of France and the minister of

state would be styled "execliencies." In his congratulations to President Received over the neare of Portsmouth, President Loubet addressed the whistling Tuesday morning, communing American chief executive as "His Exrellency"—a title that always stirs Mr. Roosevelt's bile. The governor of Messachusetts is by constitutional decree "His Excellency," but the President of the United States is not. He is sim-Lawrence paused an instant, with the lest whistle on record. A grain of sand iply "Mr. President," although Senator

President Loubet may prefer to be known as "His Excellency," but nobody will achieve popularity at the White House or Sagamore Hill by adcressing Mr. Roosevelt by that fitte.

MORGANATIC IN AMERICA. "Pa," what's a morganatic mar-

riago?' "Oh, in Europe it's where a member of a royal family marries one who is not of the blood royal. In this country it would be morganatic if the son of the president of a life insurance G'ey holder."-Chicago Record-Her-

Japan announces that its friendship with the United States is perpetual. Japan may have seen the latest photograph of our navy.

The Former Sells at a Good Price

When Sold as Pork. Experiments in hog feeding have been carried on at the Washington experiment station by Professor E. E. Elliott with the purpose of desermining the value of wheat and barley as a food for hogs. The conclusion of the experiments are as fullows:

1. Wheat appears to be the food best adapted for long continued fording. In each case the pigs receivi. ; the grain maintained steadier auvancement than any of the other 2. The addition of peas or dats in

a mixed ration does not sho. by practical advantage over wh : alone. This should not be taken as conclusive evidence against the feeding of these grains in combination. 3. The greater cost of the peak

stands in the way of their profitable use as a grain feed when combined with the grains herein noted. 4. The results secured from b. ley are in both tests disappointing,

Whether fed in combination or alone it stands at the foot of the list. 5. Experiment No. 1 shows that one bushel of wheat will product 12.8 pounds of pork. In the second experiment only 18.8 pounds . ere

6. The mixed rations produced for the same pounds of grain caten 12.9 pounds of pork in experiment 1 and 9.5 pounds in experiment 2. 7. Barley in combination with

wheat gave lower results than when

alone. Sixty pounds of barley pro-

produced from this quantity.

duced 9.02 and 8.1 pounds of pork, respectively. 8. The general results in amount of food caten is somewhat above the average reported elsewhere, but it gain per day is above the average

9. With fatted hogs bringing 5 % @ 6c. per pound there is a heavy profit to be made in feeding wheat. 10. To feed the animal slightly below rather than up to the limit of

plan to pursue. 11. Feeding hogs must have suffcient exercise to enable them to maintain an appetite.

its capacity is probably the wiser

The Balky Horse. A balky horse is hard enough to

handle when driven by himself on

the road, but it is a decided nuisage? when working with another horse. One of the best ways to handle such a horse in the latter case is to take a stout rope. If the horse works on the left, fasten one end to the left side of the hame ring, pass it around just below the breeching and hitch it to the ring in the hame of the other horse, on the inside. Draw up most of the slack, start the horses and if one horse goes along all right the other horse will follow as soon as he hot path to the newspaper office and discovers that if he does not he is "culture" would make the speech, re- likely to lose the hair on his side. It is always best, in the case of a balk) ly. Ir he does not think the driver has a hand in the urging he is muc't more likely to get a move on, and the more mysterious the source of the thing that moves him the more broken.

Frand in Salting Hides.

A common and just complaint is

often made regarding the way

butchers and dealers salt their hides.

Frequently it will be found that dealers have tried to Increase profits by economizing in saiting. The consequences are harmful because of the loss of glue and albuminous substances and the formation of defects on the grain. Many a hide has lost much of its value through this caresplendid rays on the bright angel- | dispensed at the post exchanges. An | less treatment. It is often the bethat angel who for countless years has additional explanation of the growing lief that to sait the butt is sufficient, watched the white sails of the Venetian | consumption of beer is that it has be- | while less importance is placed on fection. Page after page, reviewing all craft come and go! Never again but come an article of almost universal 12- the waste parts. However, the head, ears and belly need the greatest care since the layer three! "Tis the old come accustomed to drinking boar at in this respect, because they are the most subject to destruction. There is also no object to be gained by salting the hide so that the weath parts are folded in. The folded parts are apt to become horny and are difficult to tan, or the so-called sait spots become noticeable, which presents a poor appearance on the finished leather and reduce its value. Regarding the question as to whether common or rock self is to be used, preference it seems is in favor of the latter. Rock salt is not as effective, but it is possible to salt the hide with it in all parts without fear of expense. Hides must be resalted several times, especially if bulky letter held over the opening of or some other hard substance had got | Hoar denied even the "Mr." and used | handled often. Some unscrupillous dealers treat their hides with fine salt, by means of which they seek to create a swelling and in this manner give the hide a better appearance. Flat hides treated in this way will have a full feeling and if a buyer is not thoroughly posted he will be deceived. Many flat hides are bought, in this manner for good stock and the tanner first notices the mistake

The Sheep Industry, The most remarkable agriculturel

in the beam house.

movement of our times is said to to that "the world is eating up the sheep." In Germany the flocks have decreased over 6 per cent, cinex 1873, and this is only an extreme instance of what is going on elecabere. The increasing price of beef is given as one reason of the eating up of the sheep, the dread and absorptions is

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WINTER ARRANGEMENT. in Effect Oct. 9, 1905.

EASTERN DIVISION. Trains Leave Portsmouth

For Boston-3.25, 7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a m., 2.21, 5.00, 7.28 p. m. Sunday 2.25, 8.09 a. m., 2.21, 5.00 p. m. For Portland-9.55, 19.45 a. m., 2.55, *5.22, \$.45, 11.35 p. m. Sunday *10.05, 10.45 a. m., 8.45, 11.35 p

For North Conway-9.55 a. m., 2.55 p. m.

For Somersworth-*4.50 *9.45, 9.55 á. m., *2.40, 2.55, *5.22, 5.30 p.

** ~, 2.55, *5.22, 5.30 p. m. Tur Dover-4.50, 9.45, 12.15 a. m. 2.50, 5.22, 8.47 p. m. Sunday, 10.05, 10.48 a. m., 8.47 p. m. For North Hampton and Hampton-7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a. m., 5.00 p. m Sunday, 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

m., 5.00 p. m. Sunday 8.00 a. m., 5.00 p. m.

Trains For Portsmouth

Leave Boston-7.30, 9.00, 10.10 at m., 1.00, 3.30, 4.45, 7.00, 10.00 p. m. Sunday 4.00, \$.20, 9.00 a. m. 6.30, 7.00, 10.00 p. m.

12.45, *3.54, *6.32 p. m. Sunday *6.06 p. m.

Leave North Conway-7.38 a. m. 4.07 p. m. Leave Rochester-7.20, 9.47 a. m.

Leave Dover-6.50, 10.25 a. m., 1.40 4.30, 6.30, 9.20 p. m. Sunday 7.30

a. m., 9.20 p. m. Leave Hampton-9.22, 11.50 a. m.,

2.24, 4.59, 6.16 p. m. Sunday 6.10. 10.06 a. m., 7.59 p. m. Leave North Hampton-9.28, 11.55 a.

m., 2.30 5.05, 6.21 p. m. Sunday, 6.15, 10.12 a. m., 8.05 p. m. Leave Greenland-9.25 a. m., 12.01,

2.36, 5.11, 6.27 p. m. Sunday 6.20, 10.18 a. m., 8.10 p. m.

SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Trains leave the following stations for Manchester, Concord and Intermediate stations:

Greenland Village-8.29 a. m., 12.48, 5.33 p. m.

Kockingham Junction-9.05 a. m. 1.02 5.58 p. m.

Raymond—9.30 a. m., 1 27, 6.25 p. Returning leave

Raymond-9.08, 11.48 a. m., 5.02 r

Epping-9.20 a. m., 12.00 m., 5.15;

Rockingham Junction-9.47 a. m 12.16, 5.55 p. m.

6.08 p. m.

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Returning-Leave Junction with E. H. & A. St. Ry. at *8.05 a. m. and hourly until 3.05 p. m.

Leave Cable Road **6.10 a. m., *7.30 a. m. and *10.40 p. m. Leave Little Boar's Head 9.10 p. m. and 10.10 p. m. Leave Sagamore Hill, Sundays only, for Market Sq. at 10.23 a. m.

Plains Loop,

Up Middle Street and up Islington street-Leave Market Square a **6.35 a. m., *7.05 a. m., and half hourly until 10.05 p. m., and a *10.35 and [11.05 p. m. Up Mid dle street only at 10.35 p. m. Sun davs.

dast cars each night run to car bar only.

Running time to Plains, 13 minutes Christian Shore Loop.

Up Islington Street and Down Mar ket Street-Leave Market Square a **6.35 a. m. *7.05 a. m. and hal hourly until 10.05 p. m., and a *10.35 and ||11.05 p. m.

Running time from Market Squar to B. & M. Station is, up Islingto: street, 16 minutes; and down Marke street, 4 minutes,

Last cars at night run to car bar

North Hampton Line-Week Days. Leave North Hampton Station for Lit tle Boar's Head, Rye Beach an Cable Road at 7.30 a. m., 8.30 9.30, x11.60, x11.55 a. m., 2.20 p. m., x5.05 and 6.25 p. m. Connect ing with 5.28 a. m., 10.58, 11.5 a. m., 2.19 p. m., 5.05 and 6.21 p. m. trains from Boston.

Returning-Leave Portsmouth at 6. a. m.

Leave Cable Road 7.00 a. m., 8.00 9.00, 10.30, 11.30 a. m., 12.30 p. m., 3.00, 5.45, 7.05 p. m. Connect ing wth 7.41 a. m., 8.30, 11.19 a m. and 2.35 p. m. trains for Bos ton.

Leave North Hampton Station for Little Boar's Head only x1.00 p. m., x4.00, #.30, 7.35, x8.02, x9.02 and x10.02 p. m.

Returning—Leave Little Boar's Head at 1.55 p. m., <.15, 4.45, 7.50.8.50

and 9.50 p. m. Sindcays. Leave North Hampton Station for

Little Boar's Head only 9.00 a. m. and hourly until 10.00 p. m. Returning-Leave Little Boar's Hea at 8.45 a. m. and bourly until 9.45 p. ta.

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TIME TABLE.

October 1 Until March 31. Leaves Navy Yard-8.20, 8.10, 9.15 10.00, 10.30, 11.15, 11.45 a. m.; 1.35, 2.00, 3.00, 4.00, 4.35, 5.00, 5.50, *7.45 p. m. Sundays, 10.00. 10.15 a. m.; 12.15, 12.35 p. m. Holidays, 9.30, 10.30, 11.30 a. m. Leaves Portsmouth-S.30, 8.50, 9.30, 10.15, 11.00, 11.30 a. m.; 12.13 1.45, 2.30, 3.30, 4.23, 4.45, 5.30. 6.00, *10.00 p. m. Sundays, 10.07 a. m.; 12.05, 12.25, 12.45 p. m.

*Wednesdays and Saturdays. PERRY GARST.

Holidays, 10.00, 11.00 a. m.; 12.00

Captain, U. S. N., Captain of the Yard Approved: W. W. MEAD, Captain, U. S. N., Commandant.

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TIME TABLE

Portsmouth, Daver & York St. Ry.

In Effect Sept 18, 1905.

Ferry leaves Portsmouth, connecting foun icd on 12 instead of ten is believed

7.55 a. m.

York Beach, via P. K. & Y. Div.-6.55 s. m., and every two hours trip at 8.55 a. m.

-7.55 s. m., and every two hours until 9.55 p. m. Sundays-First trip at 7.55 a. m. Cars leave Dover:

For York Beach-8.05 a. m. and ev ery two hours until 10.05 p. m. Sundays- First trip at 8.05 a. m. For Portsmouth Eliot and Kittery-6.05 a. m. and hourly until 10.05 p. m. Bundays-First trip at 8.05 8. M.

For Salmon Falls Bridge, South Ber wick-6.20 a. m. and hourly unt' 10.30 p. m. Sundays-First tripa 8.30 a. m.

Leave Salmon Falls Bridge, South Berwick:

For Dover and Portsmouth -6.00 a. m. and hourly to 10.00 p. m. Sun days-First trip at \$.00 a. m.

For York-8.00 a. m. and every two hours until 10.00 p. m. Sundays--First trip at 8.00 a. m. Leave York Beach:

For Dover and Salmon Falls Bridge, South Berwek-7.30, 9.30 a. m. and every two hours unt'l 9.30 p. m. Sundays-First trip at 9.30 a. m. For Portsmorth, viz P. K. & Y. Div. -5.45, 6.30, 8.30 a. m. and every two hours until 4.39 p. m. Sundays -- First trip at 3.30 a. m.

For Portsmouth, via Rosemary and -First trip at 9.30 a. m.

Leave Sea Point:

For Portsmouth-6.00 a. m. and half hourly until 10.30 p. m. Sundays Debutante Who Was Prepared for -First trip at 7.30 a. m.

Leave Rosemary Cottage:

For Portsmouth and Kittery-6.00, 6.30, 7.30 a. m. and hourly until 10.36 p. m. Sundays-First trin at 8.30 a. m.

Close connections can be made between Dover and York Beach via Eliot, Kittery and Kittery Point.

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TIEW SYSTEM OF NOTATION

offered arom England. A notation to have been in use by the Chaldeans, For Ellot, Dover and South Berwick and since 12 is divisible by two, four -6.55 a m. and hourly until 9.55 and this is menifestly superior to p. m. Sundays-First tr p at 7.55 ton which is musible only by five. It head if he he estary to forego the use of the tralic system of numerals and have For Little Boar's Head only at 8.05 For Kittery and Kittery Point-6.25 Hirawones and Alro Lefore the Undoubt-6.55 a. m. and baif bourly until of advantages of the duoderimal sys-1055 p. m. Sundays-First trip at tem could be realized in practice. It is argued that there is no necessity of dis-Placing the old notation but merely to teach every calld the new system also. The extra convenience in galculation would soon leave the Arabic figures until 4.55 p. m. Sundays-Frei rtranded as histori al curiosities. Il is incon, cival le unce a man auquires the For York Village, York Harbor and habit of re-hoping by twelves that no York Beach, via Eliot and Rosemary should ever voluntarily return to tens. It is suggested that a Legipping be made with shemille and technical students, # picked class of intelligent minds which would readily understand the graige the small amount of trouble necessary for memorizing.

ITALY CUARDS TREASURES.

Works of Art Are Jealously Kept Within the Country's Boundaries.

Italy dealres the keeping of its art treasures within its own boundaries and sometimes with rather odd results. The other day a farmer, finding his finances low. yielded to the solicitation of an art dealer and sold him the removable masonry of two ancient windows belonging to the fragment of an ancient abbey, now an outhouse, in his grounds. The government commissioner, hearing of the transaction, visited the farm and officially prohibited the removal of the windows. The farmer was in despair: he had received his 500 francs and, like the Irishman, had squandered his fortude in paying his debts. The commissioner used comfortable words: "You have sold the windows and he has paid you money which you have prodently spent. Be content." But the buyer was not equally contented. He sought out the commissioner, who blandly congratulated him on having become the owner of the windows, which, however, Eliot-7.30, 9.30 a. m. and every he could not remove. Shylock's pound two hours until 9.30 p. m. Sundays of flesh mildly rejects itself in a ton of mascery.

ECUAL TO THE OCCASION.

the Advances of Moneyless Man.

It was the sweet scene of the Hiles in the conservatory, the beauty of the young girl's gilt hair, or the excellent champagne he had taken with his supper-er any rate, after the two-step, as they rested in the shadow beneath a palme, he proposed to the debutants in white.

"It cannot be," she said. "I am un worthy of you." 'Oh, rabbish," said he.

"It is true; it is too true." And she

"You are an angel," he said, ar "No, no, you are wrong," said the young girl. "I am vain, idle, silly, utterly unfit to be your helpmate through

He laughed lightly. He said in a rocthing voice:

"Why, this is sheer madness. What fort of a wife do you think I ought to "A very wise, deliberate practical

woman," she replied; "one able to live on your small salary." ARCHDUKE NOW A CITIZEN.

Logold of Austria Marries Beneath Him and Is Doing Menial Work.

According to Le Perit Parisien, the ex-Archduke Leopold of Austria, who married Fraulien Adamovitch and became naturalized as a Swiss citizen under the name of Leopold Woifing, is now serving as a common soldier in a Swiss regiment of Geneva in accordance with the noise. Some bowlers prefer only two accidentally, of course—humped against pers-" lew which requires military service from langer holes, one for the thumb and meximise I laughed at that she said it all city ens of the confederation. The ex-archduke, we are told, has to perform made with an opening large enough made him do? Throw it into the wast all the duties of his new position, help- to accommodate all the fingers, such | basket! Yes, she did. But when I ca " ing to serup the floors of the barracks being called slot balls. and to sweep the yard, lesides particl- Bowling balls are sometimes cor. and fished it out (she wasn't in the pating in several hours' drill each day, ered with rubber, as are also, where room) and gave it to him. I warned Through a practical joke played upon bim by some comrades he lately incurred rangement makes the game less noisy. the punishment of four days' arrest, but ! Par (my ly frill Wolf it was not carried into effect, as suitable ber bowling ball that is asserted to couldn't have been more precious to him explinations were ferthcoming. Curl- postess extraordinary merits. It is than that ring; and if his hands are ovaly enough, this new Swiss recruit for- said it will outwear many wooden dirty it made no difference. I think furnt Lump Line, For Sale By merly held the rank of major general in balls and remains always true in be conversed. the Austrian army.

Ships Built in 1904.

Kin-dom launched 712 new ships, ag- weight costs \$20. grenoung 1,205,162 tens displacement.) during fact year. She also launched 37 ships of war, asgregating 127,175 tons. One, the Coronia, displaced 20,000 tons; another, the Victoria, 14,- ring?" den tons, is the largest turbine ship affoat. The United States launched 227 ricrehant ships of more than 100 With increased decidates, the introduct is again presented to take charge of and keep in order such lots in any of the contents of the city as may be intrusted to his care. He will tons. Germany came third, with 149 tons Germany came third, with 149 cago Paily News. envias may be intrusted to the scale. He will also give careful attention to the turing and grading of them, also to the cleaning of monitoring and the remaind the remaind the free control budges. In addition to work at the country he will do turfing and ground in the country he will do turfing and ground in the country. short notice.

Constructive lots for sile, also Leim and Tart (nders left tail is enddence, corner in the lards Arenne and Scientific and Street, or live with the configuration of Street, and configuration of the config i ships, 28,662 tons.

A WOMAN'S FRIENDSHIP:

Instances of Intense Personal Attchments Among Historic Characters.

When Mms de Stael was dying she wro's Mme. Hecumier, closing her let-

embraces to :" mous roureit.

mony.

There are three noted instances of a milof these strong souls turns into that ruin anytody's disposition, I say.

him out of England. Four of his lest he was, poems were composed for and ad-; "Willie was at last induced to speak were of his sister and his daughter.

CHRISTMAS TRÉE CAMBLE. Dealers in the Holiday Bushes Nevêr Know How They Are Coming Out.

gamble," says one of the few New You know how Hoved California. Well York shippers who never comes out on she began to praise it, and in an instant, it is he as excited little dance step and a the losing side, says Country Life in like a panorama, I saw all the disagree- | 11. o. he. pretty eyebrows. America, because he knows how to cut able features of the region, though until his trees and how to sell them, be, that moment I had entirely forgotten case per. and opened his mouth, cause he knows there is always a sale them. I saw myself holding my hat with for the best. "No two years alike, one hand and my skirts with the other, No one knows how many shippers will as I went down Market street in August be in the market. No one knows how, with my teeth chattering. I actually felt | man, sae burst out. "Because nearly many trees the others will bring nor how many he himself will bring, for I was again in the room with the others that matter, with weather and rail, of our party, huddled up with our cloaks roads to recken with at the last minute. The trees may cost \$65, they may I was there, I thought of those thirgs | Lelen sai. . I'm so glad! Don't cost \$150, a carload, which means framy. We had the very folliest kind of | you like to crace?" from two to five cents apiece delivered a time, telling our day's experience in on the 'farm.' The average market, price is 00 cents a bundle of five tree, to contradict her was uppermost in my haste to rea h the stairs. "I wish, and men who get this make good mind. money. No two handle the business alike. One shipper will bring ten or as \$25 for the glant trees that gladden the hearts of a hundred bed-ridden babies in a hospital or a half-thousand youngsters who have gone very faithfully to Sunday school for enough. less risk than the man with 20 cars of boys. He was to incorporate 'plum' and to me, because I shan't mind it a bit poorer stock."

WOOD IN BOWLING BALLS.

Lignumvitae Not Now the Predominating Variety Used in Their

Manufacture.

With the great increase in the num- ing at slang used by a child. et than those of lignumvitae. One of adorn himself with anything in the what I'm going to give Helen for called sappache, and comes from Cuba. Well, the other day he came to school. On, are 302 all well again? So stupid used and so is mahogany.

made without finger holes. Now it in the sight of his treasure; and when I the field-on, how I wish I'd seen you common to make them with finger pretended to look over his head, he make that play! Why, the newspaanother for one finger. Other balls are was disgusting. Do you know what she

such balls are used, the ping. This ar-There is now made a solid hard rub- it was right or not. Heavenly jewe's

A regulation lignumvitee ball costs "There she is now Let's run. Pretend boost four dollars, a solid hard rub, you don't hear her." According to Lloyds the United orr bowling ball of regulation size an l

Trust vs. Rings.

"I'm afraid I can't explain the difthe young mun in the case "but if get so angry. Of course, even the best tons each with a total tonnage of 238.- You'll put your trust in me, I'll blow milliners turn out atrocities sometimes. myself for the ring te-merrow."

And she put her trust in him -Chi-Acting Under Orders.

"I should like to go to your party, I show all this "a" Mr. Lapsling was saying, "bot the donor says I must temain ciclustre or a weel more. I am troubled with a slight preventea-

A PROMOTER OF GOOD CHEER.

THE WAY SOME PROPLE AFFECT OTHERS.

near filling Mme, de Stael's place in with her casts a groom over my whole wore and rather wered. Margaret Fuller formed many im- if Dante hash't anything in his inferno martial arior that would conquer the an she tatter t down to on him.

duces lassitude, dispels illusions, and things; and then, it was none of her that you had ...

There was a great friendship be- Willie Stevens, that dear little mother's | Lhout my na. kwear! But-" tween Goethe and his sister Cornella. only boy? Well, Willie was in the office

but I ain't going to do it when she says I which I must say I never suspected. But | sounds impolite, I know, but I don't there it is! She can make even him mean-"

"Why, do you know, she's a prometer of lying? Yes, you needn't look so as-"The Christmas tree business is a tounded and shocked; it's perfectly true, the damp clothes I but on every morning. In the men! know are and a makes on and the gas lit for warmth. When to Lo 2 Harvard dance, isn't there?

my chances for heaven.

'since' in sentences showing thought. He | rnd | 100 must | have loss of engagewrote, 'Tom Thumb hall a whole plum ' meats of your own.' pie. He had a since.' She said the couldn't see anything funny about that young man, hastily, with a sigh that and when I elaborately explained that seemel a combination of despairing he probably meant Tom had a 'cinch.' a imiration and hopelessness. she asked what that was, and then said should be more than delighted-" she was surprised at any teacher laugh-

thim crying, going dowestairs, I went him not to wear it again in school, except. at recess and noon. I don't care whether be suppressed.

"Oh, good morning, Miss Statham, No. I didn't know my dress was sagging in the back. How kind of you to tell me! By the way, how dreadfully unbecoming 'Woat,' queried the fair maid, "is that hat is to you! People with sallow the difference between a trust and a complexions ought not to wear brown, But I suppose you are practicing economy to make up for your western trip. ference in as many words," replied One of Mme. Jean's? My dear girl. don't

> "There, wasn't that awful! I'll be hemouning my ugly disposition all day. But I just can't help it. She always makes me feel like that."-Chicago Daily News.

Is This So? "Pa, how are laws made?"

"By men. "Are they hand made?" "No, they are made by political mation of the left lung,"--Chicago Trib-

chinery."-Detroit Free Press.

HELEN'S BROTHER.

Anyone yould have looked twice at the siri was was coming through the his gairs of the railway station toge her with several sundred other people who had just go, off a train Well, I know how a dog feels when hill seen the west. She was a symphosy ter as follows: 'All that is left of me shows his tech and pristies up the near in golden from her hat to) on his back, 'said one school tearner to | the hem of her struct tailor skirt and Mme Recamier devoted the remains another. There the way I feel every including the suite, so the carried she der of her life in cherishing the mem | Dies I -- Miss Statham, I wended to | Matthed to the Bair - L. cadth of a ory of Alme, de Stael, says the Pd my morning prayers, From meeting Miva; Shane. Mor, wer, her eyes matched grim. The only person who ever came, Statham, good tard defiver mel' A wath the clothes has she was pink and

her heart was Elizabeth Foster, the day. Yes, she sin our school and I must be a spart from the criwd she healten if duchess of Departs from the only one who wishes she was not if the noment her, was sweeping the original of Sir Joshua Reynolis' in the principal had as much power as they bysic terr. Seduenty the caught the ear, should a same we re class I wonder glame the good modeling young man the war an mest of a son tie and butpassioned connections with women about people who make you want to fight. | ten . leed, and who we most patientduring her life. They were attracted if he hasn't he ought to have. By just | ... wan ... She was not so relievedly by her powers of intellect and har- tilking peace shed arouse a shift of that he use manous r t epped forward

"Gh," cric! ...? girl in brown, "I platonic attachment; - Petrarch and | Yes, I know I'm Litter, but so would just have it yas you the instant 1 Laura, and Dante and Deatrice, and youle. She came into my room and told saw you! He.en see! when she wrote Journa Bafilie and rir Walter Scott, me right before the children that school to be me why the boulin', meet me Mme. Roland and her husband were was not the place to wear dishonds. I that she'd send a - bx her Dick, alike and inseparable. John Stear Laur a is not; very few teachers nevel Shee told me so a och come you. value of a duodechnal notation and not Mill and his wife were companions on them to wear, to tell the truth; but now | and the said I come it help knowwere also Elizabeth and Robert Brown- could I help it, when there was no one ling you be ause so were such dreading. These relations can be easily at home to take care of my poor little | f. | the | I beg your ardon, of course explained. The fever of time pro- pin? Anyhow, children like tuste precty | 30m is jon't at a disadful, but red,

undermines passions. Then the love rese. A person like that is enough to | "Oh. don, mention it!" begged the 1; Ging man as the s riggled in embarcrowning lasting union-friendship. | Why, Wille Stevens-you I now | rasement. "I'm 'Ivays getting guyed

"Cow is Helen?" oried the girl in She was a year younger than he, and, the other day, looking as determined as brown. "I'm just trazy to ree the dear while not at all good looking, had Rosseveit, it seems he had absolutely thing. Jue think! We haven't set superior endowments of mind and refused to pick up a paper from the floor. Gyes on each other since we were character. The attachment between it was funny to see him with his jaw set [g.aduste] 'ast Ju'e! I think it was Byron and his sister, Mrs. Leigh, was and his eyes flashing. Poor Mr. Sawyer | per e-tily lovely of her to invite me in most touching. She remained unafter- was worried to death. He knew Willie, to spead the holidays and she's ably attached to him during the dread- was all right, yet he knew, too, that planned so warv delightful things to ful storm of unpopularity which drove discipling must be maintained; so there | (o. And isn't i fine that you could le here, too? Actually, Helen sung the traises of Lev brother so much dressed to her. Byron's last words and he said, half-sobbing, 'I'd pick it up a, school that we girls used to get if she asked me to, even if I didn't do it; | Lr. d of 3cu. That is-I mean-not of yo', of course, Lecause we didn't know must.' And I honored him for his pluck. No that of hearing about you. That

> 'Ch. 1 understand!" said the young man, hastiy. He seemed fascinated, Lut un amfor.able. "Don't or think we'd better be

> pinting?" as, ed the girl in brown The cons man picked up the suits

> but she prove in again as they began elying their , ay to the stairs. 'I'm so gaid you are a harvard us just alout the same as acquainted, Coran't hi? I suppose there is going

"I should say so!" agreed the young these chilly rooms. But only the wish ren, who was making no particular

tlogb--" "And China" ,-'m! I really hated it; but he'ch, I know," said the girl in when she denounced it—well to hear me | Irown. When a man dances he is 20 carloads of trees cut as they run, then, you would absolutely think the one loved to dea a with invitations betake them or leave them. Another ambition of my life was to live in one of cause so many are sulky and lazy and will bring five carloads of carefully se, those oriental, balconied houses lit with and inst spoil a party. Does lected trees, sell them at 60 cents a lanterns; to roam the quaint streets Lelen go to a lot of dances since she bundle to two, three or, five dollars and to pass my spare time at the gro- hat her coming-out party? I expect apiece for large single, and as high tesque theater. I'm glad my mother the is a tremendous belle, because she didn't bear me. She'd think I was losing is such a s'unding girl. I hope you you't be lored to death at having me "Then she has such a superior air when | c) your hands the next two weeks, you tell her a joke. She looks as if you! It was awfully good of you to tell hadn't the normal amount of intellect; i'e'en you'd like to give me a jolly weeks before Christmas to insure, when you think anything is funny. No time. I don't want you to feel you them a place on the church tree; and one else being near, one day I showed have to net lect anyone else-your old this man will make more money with her some sentences written by one of my friends you know-just to be polite

"Not at all! Not at all!" said the

"Is that suitcase heavy?" asked the sirl in brown with pretty anxiety as ber of women bowlers in recent years "You remember how poor little Jimmie the young man lagged up the staircame a demand for b wling balls light. Davis, who lives in the alley, loves to case. "I'm so sorry! But you 'see the woods used for this purpose is shape of jewelry that he gets hold of? Christmas is in there and it's weighty. Rosewood is now also occasionally, with a brass ring on his first finger, A: of me to forget about that broken colthe way upstairs he held his hand spren I larkone. Isn't football just awful? Formerly all bowling balls were out on his breast, so no one should miss Bit it's grand to see them tear down

"Oh, say, now," protested the young man, looking wildly unhappy and lalling at the sires door of the sta-

"Long the so moder!! ' suit the girl in brown, diragling. Where do we go now? Can we get a street car or most we take a cub? If it's a cab, don't get one vith a bony horse, because I'm always so sarry for the poor things I don't eller my ride a bit! Do you suppose melen--

The young may speak his shoulders like a water spaniel ready for a plunge, but just then a tall girl in blue dashed into the station and with a cry of "Maiel!" f.B on the neck of the pretty garl a brown. Then she turned inquiringly toward the goodlooking young man, whose face was the color of his tie.

The girl in golden blown looked the pi ture of bewilderment. "What's the mat er. Helea?" she asked. "Don't you know your even brother?" "He's not my brother!" crica Helen

in accents of frigil and loment. "How "I never said I was anybody's brother!" cried the unhappy young man. "I

was just waiting for my train when

this young lad; ---But the girl in brown with one agonized shrick grabbed her suitease and Helen, and the two fled out to the Street.

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The young man mopped his forehead and ran for his train,-Chicago Dally

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For Row Ser-9.45, 9.55 a. m.

For Greenland-7.20, 8.15, 10.53 a.

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*Via Dover and Western Division. Information Given, Through Tick-

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SATURDAY, JAN. 20, 1906.

CITY PRIEFE.

The grip is almost epidemic.

The fruit market offers little varie-

Florida oranges of good quality are in the market,

Dartmouth's basketball team is making a fine showing. January has up to the present time

been a wonderful month. Have your shoes repaired by John

Mott, 34 Congress street. Portsmouth's importance as a coal

port is steadily increasing. There have been amusement events

The promised peace conference fiction has not yet materialized.

ness conditions in Portsmouth.

City government meetings will be of great interest for some time.

masculine garments next spring.

Apples are scarce and the price is high, but they are still obtainable.

The once popular card game, sixty-three, seems to be returning to fav-

semi-professional baseball league in of which were decided novelties.

Those who go down to the sea in ships have encountered more than the usual number of perils during the past few months.

"The new charter seems to be working pretty well," said a local conversation.

to go away from home to enjoy sleigh ing this winter, since that first early December storm.

Daniel P. Norton, York, has bought the Searle's farm in that village con-Clay Hill Church.

House baseball team in 1904, will again be a candidate for the Dartmouth nine this year.

Apropos of the Franklin anniversary, Portsmouth has an ancient dwel-

baseball teams of the Strafford coun-

The Tucker case has demanded lo a bone of its meat. cal attention for a considerable perjod and there is no sign of waning niterest.

ty cities the coming season?

have been very speedily forgotten.

Souvenir postal cards showing the interior commemorative tablet of the Peace Conference building at the navy yard have been issued.

Impure blood runs you downmakes you an easy victim for organic diseases, Burdock Blood Bitters purifies the blood-cures the cause-

At any rate we shall see High School baseball next season and if it is equal in quality to the High School football of last autumn there will be The New Methodist Church May Be

Ogunquit Grange Thursday, Jan. 11. At the morning session a class of forty-eight received the fifth degree, In the afternoon an interesting literary program was furnished, and the installation of officers occurred at the evening session.

We do first grade Picture Framing at lowest prices the year round. We time of the year because our prices avenue. are always as low as consistent with high grade work and we never buy heavily enough of one pattern for our mouldings to get shopworn or out of

Jerry Hudson of Madbury, a former resident of this city and who lately removed again to this city, paid many compliments to the members of on New Castle avenue on Friday Company B for their fine appearance evening and took possession of the during the nights of the fair. Mr. Hud- family home. But before doing so. son was for years connected with the they had something else to do which

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PERCE HALL

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United States to play and advertise their planes in public, and this leads the public to think that such artists play their planes from choice. The hope for its greater practical usefulmanufacturer that will pay such artists the largest sum of money ness and wide-spreading and beneficmakes the piano that he will play every time. We know the inside of ial influences in charitable work. that business. We know some artists who have toured this country many times and played a different piano every time, and it was always the best piano on earth-just while they were playing it. The people who buy those pianos pay the bills, by paying more than the pianos ar

IT IS A FACT that CKICKERING & SONS pianos are so far superior to all others that they sell their entire product without one dollar of the wise are unable, unsuitable or unwillabove expense. Their planes do not seek the people; the people seek ing to provide for them; also to do

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Opp. P. O.

presented Miss Ridge, in behalf of her young friends, with a handsome ring of turquoise and pearls.

Miss Ridge thanked them for the gift most pleasantly, and invited the company to choice refreshments of ice cream, assorted cake, chicken patties, salted almonds, fruit, candy and chocolate.

After the refreshments were served, the company enjoyed a fine musical program, each vocalist being accompanied on the piano by Eddie Lamonde.

several pleasing selections.

The party broke up at midnight, and voiced their sentiments that as ideal.

JUDGE SIMES'S DECISION

Music was under the direction of Is Given in Case of Leveen Vs. Jonas Today

> Judge Simes gave his decision today (Saturday) in the case of Harry | ter, H. Isabel Jacobs of Mountain avwbiskey.

He found probable cause to hold der of the winter. Jonas for the April term of superior court in two sureties of \$200 each.

pertains to the same case.

AT THE NAVY YARD

Bremerton navy yard officials say the prospects for work at that yard are decidedly gloomy and that no work may come for months. Each department has tried to hold its force of workmen until the arrival of walked out, paying thirty-five cents the battleship Oregon, which has each time for the roundish shells con- been promised that yard for many taining albumen from the domestic months. Now that it is probable that the Oregon will not be here for several months, it will be necessary nutrition necessary for digestion, to not only lay off the ordinary workmen but many of the skilled ones in the near future.

The workmen at Washington navy yard are fighting the recent reduction of this brand of nourishment into his in wages and will carry the matter to the secretary of the navy. The cut resident of Laconia, died Friday after that caused all the trouble is as fol- a lengthy sickness incident to old lows and is said to have taken place age. He was horn in 1828, near without much warning to those me Tralee, county Kerry Ireland, coming chanics affected. The coppersmith to America in 1846. and pipefitters were reduced sixteen cents per diem, from \$3.20 to \$3.04; carpenters, sixteen cents per diem, from \$3.36 to \$3.20, coremakers, \$2.96; boilermakers, eight cents per diem, from \$3 12 to \$3 04.

> Brackett Lewis, Asa R. Young and Charles F. Prohaska have returned sons, Dennis and Thomas of Laconia, from sick leaves.

The survey of the U. S. S. Topeka three daughters, Catherine of this sent back to the yard for revision | will not take such an amount of time Sister Eugenia of Manchester. The do not advertise cut prices at any one dist patsonage will face on Richards as was expected. The changes have funeral will take place at St. Jobeen made and the survey returned to the department at Washington.

conducted today (Saturday),

A trench with wires, water, compressed air and steam, is being put along the east side of the new dry dock to be connected with the new buildings on Seavey's Island.

Archie Emery was the man who Hall today.

PERSONALS.

Daniel J. Hayes is in Boston to-

Miss Margaret Hartwell of the Portsmouth Confectionary Company will enjoy a vacation of three weeks, commencing Monday.

Judge Thomas H. Simes and Frederick F. Sise leave tomorrow (Sunday) for New York City, where they are to approve a will.

Mr. Colby, of the firm of Colby, Eva Lloyd and Ethel Ridge sang McFarland and Colby, architects of the new school and convent on Austin street, was here on Friday.

Assistant Civil Engineer F. H. a hostess Miss Ridge was certainly Cook, who was ordered to Mare Island navy yard from this city, has been ordered to Cavite, P. I.

> Mrs Sarah Oxford of this city and Mrs. Walter Morrill of Salisbury have been in town visiting their aunt, Josephine Beckman of Seabrook.

Mrs. B. F. Jacobs and her daugh-Leveen vs. Milton Jonas for the allenue, Malden, Mass, formerly of this leged larceny of twenty-four cases of city, have gone to Galveston, Texas, where they are to pass the remain-

Fred Martin returned from the Cottage Hospital in Portland Tuesday Jonas was then taken in hand by and his many friends hope that he Sheriff Collis on a capias relative to has fully recovered from his surgical A man from Kittery Point who a civil suit of \$300 by Leveen, which operation which has kept him confined to the hospital for several weeks -York Transcript.

OBITUARY

News has been received in this city of the death of Charles L. Dresser at his home in Kennebunk last Tuesday. Mr. Dresser has been in feeble health for several years.

For many years he carried on a

He leaves one son, William M Dresser, who some years ago succeeded him in business, and is also survived by his wife, a sister of the late Israel Tripp of this city.

John O. Shea

John O. Shea, for many years a

He first located at Fitchburg, Mass. where he remained until 1856, since which time he had been a resident of Laconia. In early life he followed was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church, and was for many years a leader among the Irish citizens.

Eugene of Tilton, Jeremiah of New York and Frank of Portsmouth, and city, Margaret of Passaie, N. J., and seph's Church Monday morning at nine o'clock.

His son Frank of this city left to-A session of court martial is being day (Saturday) for the family residence in Laconia, where he will attend the funeral services.

TO PRESENT FARCE

School are to give an entertainment and basket party Friday evening, Jan. See Charles K. Harris with the Har- 26, at High School Hall, and a farce benefit of the baseball team.

York Corporation Was Recently Organized

NOW AFFORMS ENTIRE SUPPORT TO TEN COLDREN

There was organized at the office of Hon. John C. Stewart at York Village recently a corporation to be known as the Children's Heart Work ters entertain the liveliest faith and

The object of the corporation is to aid in caring for children whose parents may have died or deserted them, or through misfortune or othersuch other charitable work as the

The associates comprise the original incorporators together with the following named trustees: Miss Laura A. Slayton, Portland; Miss Susan L. Boynton, Saco; Miss Edith A. Lucas, York Village; Miss Abbie Lovett, Portland; Miss Josie B. Drake, Augusta; George W. Singer, Damariscotta; John C. Stewart, York Village. The president is Miss Slayton; the treasurer, J. C. Stewart; the field secretary, Miss Drake.

At a meeting of the corporation held Tuesday of last week Miss Drake reported that the society now has under its care and entirely dependent upon its bounties ten children, whose ages range from two to fourteen years. These children have been placed in homes where their board is being provided from the society's funds.

The work of the society is by no means new, as its members have been engaged in it for a long time with favorable results well known throughout Maine. But the corporation now furnishes a more stable caused by the appointment of George basis for its work, and greater recognition from a business standpoint.

The formation of the corporation has nothing to do with the Lucas pointment of Richard Fullam, who Home of York Village, and that is has for some time acted as a spare Messis. Rowe And Yordy To Assume still wholly a private and individual man on the West End company. charitable enterprise.

For the carrying on of its work the society will gladly receive any funds that charitably inclined persons would like to invest in a cause purely practical and emphatically useful.

The headquarters of the society will be the office of John C. Stewart at York Village.

FRANKLIN PIERCE VETS

They Will Celebrate Opening of Their Life" and "American Journalism."

Rooms

Franklin Tierce Veteran Fireman's Association is planning to celebrate the open ig of the rooms of the associatic, which are now undergoing repairs.

some time next week, and the blowout that is to follow will be a and Mr. Fuerhan will render as the

There are nearly one hundred members in the organization and they expect the next social to eclipse anything in the history of the Vets.

NO SETTLEMENT

Sensational Suit

The rumor that one of the most sensational civil cases on the docket for trial at the January term of court, now being held at Exeter, has been settled out of court is entirely without foundation.

The report was flatly denied by two of the attorneys in the case.

VACANCY FILLED

By The Sagamore Eagine Company on friday Evening The pupils of the York High

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LYDSTON & CO. THE CLOTHIERS.

CHARLES J. WOOD.

Mr. Wood is now occupying his new store, formerly the office of the Rockingham National Bank, Pleasant Street, where he has accommodations for his increasing business. The public is cordially invited to visit Mr. Wood at his new place of business and inspect his new line of cloths.

CHARLES J. WOOD,

Custom Tailor, Pleasant Street.

Cogan to the place of assistant on the

ON TUESDAY, JAN. 30

Dr. F. S Towle is in receipt of a don Hotel today. Taylor, proprietor of the Boston in this city, and will prove a hustture in Association Hall on Tuesday, Jan 30, under the auspices of the

The subjects will be "Success in

SUNDAY MEETING

At the meeting for men on Sunday Saviour's Voice" by Stephen Glover, clarinet solo, "Cavatina and Trici"

from Traviata by Verdi. Rev. L. H. Thayer will also take

SPECIAL MEETING

The Atterney Deny Compromise in previously announced in this paper, is to be held in Association Hall to body.

The interesting musical program

WENTWORTH LODGE, K. . OF P. FAIR

of Wentworth Lodge, No. 22, K. of P., will be held at Pythian Hall, New Castle, N. H., Tuesday, Wednesday when questioned concerning it on and Thursday evenings, Jan. 23, 21 Friday by a representative of this paland 25. Entertainment Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, dance Thursday evening, to which all season ticket holders are admitted. On each evening of the fair, Meloon's barge will leave Portsmouth (postoffice) at 7.30 p. m., returning, leave New Castle at 11 p. m. Fare each way, 15cents,

Refreshments on sale at the Hall.

WILL BANQUET JAN. 29

LANGDON HOTEL

Charge Today

Messrs. Rowe and Voudy, two of Portsmouth's most popular young men, assumed charge of the Lang-

communication from Gen. C. H. The new proprietors are well known Globe, announcing that he will lec- ling combination in the hotel busi-

It is safe to say that the new firm will be accorded its full share of patronage and will no doubt gain and hold considerable popularity in this new undertaking.

NARROW ESCAPE

Was That Of Mrs. Royal S. Ellis Last

Mrs. Royal S. Ellis of Bow street had a narrow escape from death at ... the local depot on Friday evening. While crossing the tracks she fell,

her head striking on the rails. The fall rendered her unconscious, and she lay directly in the path of Engineer Charles Bailey's approach-

The brakes were quickly applied, A special meeting for men, as and the train was stopped only a few feet from Mrs. Ellis's unconscious

ACKNOWLEDGMENT

The Woman's Auxiliary to the Y. M C. A. gratefully acknowledges the fol-

Mrs. E. P. Kimball, twenty-five dol.

MARY GARRETT.

OGUNQUIT MAN PRESIDENT (

been elected president of the York County Medical Society, which lately Doors open at 7.30 p. m. Season held its annual meeting in Biddeford.

zema that had annoyed me a long Members of the gymnasium depart time. The cure was permanent."

Evening

ing train.

lowing sums recently received;

Mrs. F. E. Potter, twenty-five dors;

The Birthday receipts, thirty-eight

Dr. W. W. Smith of Ogunquit has

"Doan's Ointment cured me of ec-

SEVENTY-FIVE COUPLES PARTICIPATED IN THE GRAND MARCH

> The first masquerade of the season was held last evening in Peirce Hall under the management of the Breeze Club, and proved to be one of the most en-

le The Affair

those participating. An unusually large number appeared in costume for the occasion, the Mohawk and Burdock Clubs sending delegations specially represent-

joyable events of the year to

ing their aggregations. The floor was under the management of Archie Beott, who was ably assisted by William Kennedy, John McGuinness. Thomas Twobig and

Luke Woodbury.

the fourth dance on the order, and prizes were awarded to Misses Alice Meehan and Ida Dale, Charles Conrad and Benjamin Harrington. About seventy-five couples participated in the grand march, the figures

The unmasking took place after

During intermission a vaudeville program was rendered, which included songs by the Mohawk Club's glee chorus, recitations by William Lambella, buck and wing dancing by Harry Stillson, and a snare drum solo by Archie Beott.

The dance concluded at twelve

Harold N. Hett. REGULAR SHELL GAME

Carroll's Store

wished to clean out the egg market and make a record for himself was a visitor at the store of D J. Carroll and Friday and today (Saturday), where each time he purchased one dozen of eggs, pricked a hole in the top of each, and sucked them all as

nice and clean as a dog would trim He left the shells in a bag and

This man certainly believes in the absorption, circulation and assimila-

alimentary canal. ON MILLER AVENUE

It is said that a dozen is a small

meal for him and when in good form

he generally puts eighteen or twenty

Located

It is stated on what appears to be good authority that the Methodists have purchased a lot in the B. F. Webster field on Miller avenue, where their new church will be locat-

FRIDAY EVENING PARTY

It is also said that the new Metho-

Nearly forty young people called at the residence of Miss Florence Ridge

buyers. We are sole agents for these world-renowned pianos, and have them on

Charles L. Dresser

gents furnishing store.

eight cents per diem, from \$3.04 to the occupation of a wool sorter. He

He is survived by a widow, five

military companies of this city when was the most important feature of court Comedy ompany in matines entitled "That Boy Tom". It is un- held a special meeting at the engine Portsmouth had the crack companies the surprise party on the young lady. and evening performances at Music derstood the proceeds will be for the house on Bartlett street last evening ment of the Y. M. C. A. are to have Hon. S. W. Matthews, Commission-

chemical engine. The election resulted in the ap-

Proprietor Taylor of Boston Globe to Lecture Here

Warwick Club.

Solos to Be Rendered at the Y. M. C. A. Tomorrow afternoon at 3.30 o'clock at the Y. M. C. A. Hans Lund will render as The work is expected to be finished the cornet solo, "I Love to Hear My

part in the service.

is To Be Held in Association Hall

should attract many.

The ninth entertainment and fair

tickets, 50 cents at the door.

for the purpose of filling the vacancy a banquet Jan. 29 in the gymnasium. er Labor Statistics, Augusta, Me.

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in great variety this winter.

Bradstreet reports improved busi-

Gray will be a favorite color for

It is a fairly safe bet that Portsmouth will not be led into another

politician in the course of a recent | o'clock. The Portsmouthian has been forced

sisting of about sixty acres near the Champion Egg Sucker A Visitor A Beckett, pitcher for the Wentworth

ling protected by lightning rods placed upon it by Franklin himself. Will semi-professionals again be allowed to play on the High School

The "Perplexity" puzzle, which bade fair to be as popular as the "Pigs in Clover" once were, seems to

builds you up.

little cause for complaint. York County Pomona met with

date. Canney's, 67 Congress St.

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